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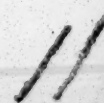
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and BARONS.

To which is added
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the Institution and Investiture of the
KNIGHTS of the Garter; BARONETS and
KNIGHTS of the BATH; and Lists of the
said Orders to the present Time.

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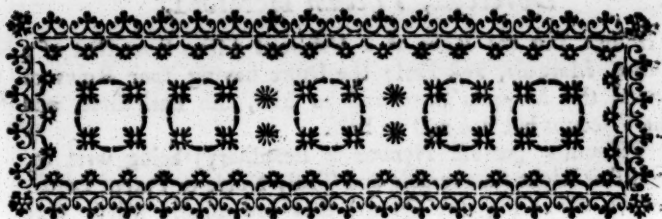
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VISCOUNTS.

 HE Viscount was antiently Sheriff of a County, and held his Office under an Earl, whose Attendance was mostly required at Court; and still bears the Name of his Substitution (in Latin Vice-Comes;) but in 1440, the 18th of Henry 6, it became a Degree of Honour, who conferred this Title upon John Lord Beaumont, by Letters Patent, and gave him Place above all Barons; and to this Honour belong a Cap, Coronet, and Robe, as follows:

His Mantle, which is called his Parliament (or Creation) Robe, is the same as that of an Earl, Marquis, and Duke, with this Difference, a Duke's Robe has four Guards and a Lace quite round, a Marquis's three and an half, an Earl's three, and his but two and an half.

His Cap is also the same as that of a Duke, &c. but his Coronet differs from all; that of a Duke having only Leaves; that of a Marquis, Leaves and Pearls of equal Height; that of an Earl, the Pearls much higher than the Leaves; and this has only Pearls set close together on the Chaplet or Rim: The Surcoat and Mantle, which they wear at the Coronation of a King or Queen, are of Crimson Velvet, lined with white Taffeta, and doubled from the Neck to below the Elbow with

A

Ermine :

Ermine: But the Robe of a Viscount differs from that of a Duke, Marquis, and Earl; the Duke having four Rows of Spots, the Marquis three and an half, the Earl three, and the Viscount but two and an half.

Viscounts (whose Honour is hereditary) being writ to, are stiled Right Honourable and Truly Noble or Potent Lords; but by the King (or Queen) they are usually stiled, Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Cousins; and, when of the Privy-Council, then with the Addition of Counsellors.

Of this Degree, we have in England eleven, whose Titles and Dignities, (Descents, Marriages, Issue, Posts, Arms, and Seats) here follow, according to the Seniority of their Creation.

DEVEREUX, Viscount HEREFORD.

I. **T**HE Right Honourable Edward Devereux, Viscount Hereford, and Baronet, Premier Viscount of England.

Created Viscount of the County of Hereford, Feb. 2, 1546, 1 Edward 6, and Baronet, Nov. 25, 1612, 10 Jac. 1.

Of this Family, which is said to take their Surname from Eureux, a Town of Note in Normandy, was

Sir WILLIAM DEVEREUX, who, by Alice his Wife, had Sir John, his Heir, and Stephen, of whom hereafter.

Sir JOHN DEVEREUX married Margaret, Daughter of John de Vere, Earl of Oxford, and was Father of

Sir JOHN DEVEREUX, Kt, who, in the 42d of Edw. 3, attended the Black Prince into Gascoign, and afterwards served that King in his War in France, as he did Ric. 2, by Sea and Land; and, after being made a Kt Banneret, was made a Kt of the Garter by that King. In the 11th of Ric. 2, he was made Constable of Dover-Castle, Warden of the Cinque Ports, and Steward of the King's Household; and was afterwards joined in Commission with Walter Skyr-law, Bp of Durham, and others, to treat with the King of France touching Peace; and, from the 8th to the 16th
of

of that Reign, had Summons to Parlt among the Barons; and, dying that Year, left Issue by Margaret, Daughter of Sir John Barre, Kt, Sir John his Son; but, he dying without Issue, three Years after his Father, Joan his Sister, who was Wife of Sir Walter Fitzwalter, became his Heir.

STEPHEN DEVEREUX, second Son of Sir William, was of Bodynham in Herefordshire, in the 3d of Edw. 3. He was Father of

Sir WILLIAM DEVEREUX of Bodynham, who, in the 45th Edw. 3, was Sheriff of the Co. of Hereford, and marrying Anne, Daughter of Sir John Barre, had Issue

Sir WALTER DEVEREUX, Kt, who married Agnes, Daughter of Thomas Crophul, Cousin and Heir to Sir John Crophul, Kt, and died the 4 Hen. 4, and was succeeded by

Sir WALTER his Son; who marrying Maud, Daughter of Sir Thomas Bromwich, Kt, had

WALTER, his Heir, married Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to Sir John Merbury, Kt, and had Issue another

Sir WALTER, who was Sheriff of the C. of Hereford the 26th Hen. 6: He marrying Anne, sole Daughter and Heir to William Lord Ferrers of Chartley, was summoned to Parlt as Lord Ferrers, the 1st of Edw. 4, and in the 10th installed a Kt of the Garter; but was slain, with Ric. 3, at Bosworth Field; leaving a Daughter, Elizabeth, married first to Sir Richard Corbet of Morton-Corbet, and secondly to Sir Thomas Leighton of Wattleborough, both in the C. of Salop; and a Son,

Sir JOHN DEVEREUX, Kt, who succeeded him as Lord Ferrers of Chartley. He married Cecilia, Daughter to Henry Bourchier, Earl of Essex, Sister and Heir to Henry, her Brother; and had Summons to Parliament from the 3d to the 12th of Hen. 7, and had a Son,

[1st V.] WALTER, who succeeded him; and, in the Reign of Hen. 8, was made Governor of the Castle of Warwick, Justice of South-Wales, and Kt of the Garter; and on the 2d of Febr. 1546, the 1st Edw. 6, was created Visc. Hereford, and died 1558. In his Patent is a Clause, that he and his Heirs Male should enjoy the Rank and Degree

of Viscount Hereford in all Parliaments and Councils within the Realm of England, and other the King's Territories and Dominions; whereby, according to the Opinion of Sir Richard St. George, the Viscounts Hereford are entitled to a Seat in the Irish as well as the English Parliament. He married to his first Wife the Lady Mary Grey, Daughter to Thomas Marq. of Dorset, and by her had three Sons; 1. Henry, who died unmarried; 2. Sir Richard; 3. Sir William, who married Jane, Daughter of John Scudamore of Home-Lacy in the C. of Hereford, Esq; and left two Daughters; Barbara, married first to Edward Cave, Esq; and afterwards to Sir Edward Hastings, Kt, a younger Son of Francis the second Earl of Huntingdon; and Margaret, to Sir Edward Littleton of Pillaton in the C. of Stafford, Kt, Great-Grandfather to Sir Edward Littleton, Bart: And by his second Wife, Margaret, Daughter to Robert Garnish of Kenton in Suffolk, Esq; he had a Son, Sir Edward. But him we leave at present, and return to

Sir RICHARD, who married the Lady Dorothy Hastings, Daughter to George the first Earl of Huntingdon; and, dying in his Father's Life-time, left Issue

[2d V.] WALTER, who succeeded his Grandfather; and on the 4th of May, 1572, the 14th of Eliz. was created Earl of Essex. He was also stiled Earl of Eu, Earl-Marshal of England, Visc. Hereford and Bouchier, Lord Ferrers of Chartley, Bouchier, and Louvain, and was Kt of the Garter, and died 22d Sep. 1576, leaving Issue by Leftice his Wife, Daughter to Sir Francis Knolles, Kt of the Garter, and Sister to William Earl of Banbury, two Daughters; Dorothy, first married to Sir Thomas Perrot, Kt, and secondly to Henry the ninth Earl of Northumberland; and Penelope, to Robert the third Earl of Warwick; and one Son,

[3d V.] ROBERT DEVEREUX, Earl of Essex, that great Favourite of Queen Elizabeth, who was likewise Earl of Eu, Kt of the Garter, Chancellor of Cambridge, Master of the Horse, Earl-Marshal of England, and Deputy of Ireland; but, being guilty of some Mismanagements there, which displeased the

the Queen, his Enemies took the Advantage to make them High-Treason; and on the 25th of Feb. 1600, he was beheaded within the Tower of London. He married Frances, Daughter and Heir to Sir Francis Walsingham, Secretary of State, Widow of Sir Philip Sidney, and by her (who afterwards married Richard Bourck, Earl of St. Albans, by whom she had Ulick, Marq. of Clanrickard, and Honora, Marchioness of Winchester) left one Son and two Daughters; which were Robert, Frances, and Dorothy; and they being all restored in Blood, the 1st of Jam. 1, the eldest Daughter was married to William Seymour, the second Duke of Somerset; the youngest, first to Sir Henry Shirley of Aftwell in the C. of Northampton, Bart. from whom is descended the present Earl Ferrers, and secondly to William Stafford, Esq; He had also by his Mistress Southwell a natural Son named Walter.

[4th V.] ROBERT, their Brother, who was Earl of Essex, was Chamberlain of the Household to K. Ch. 1, and General of the Parliament Army. He married first the Lady Frances Howard, Daughter to Thomas the first Earl of Suffolk; but, that Marriage being set aside, he married secondly Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir William Powlett, of Eddington in Wiltshire, Kt, by whom he had a Son, Robert, that died an Infant; but dying Sep. 13, 1546, without surviving Issue, the Earldoms of Essex and Eu became extinct, and the Barony of Ferrers of Chartley descended to the Family of Shirley, Earl Ferrers, and from thence to the Lady Charlotte Compton, only Daughter of the Earl of Northampton, who is Baroness FERRERS, and the Wife of George Townshend, Esq; eldest Son of Charles Visc. Townshend. We return to

SIR EDWARD DEVEREUX, Kt, Son of Walter, the first Visc. Hereford, by Margaret his second Wife, Daughter to Robert Garnish, as before observed; which Sir Edward was created a Bart, and was seated at Castle-Bromwich in the C. of Warwick. He married Catherine, Daughter to Edward Arden of Park-Hall in the C. of Warwick, Esq; by whom he had two Sons, Sir Walter and Sir George, of

which the youngest became seated at Sheldon-Hall in the C. of Warwick, and

[5th V.] Sir WALTER, who succeeded his Father at Castle-Bromwich, claiming to be Visc. Hereford, by Virtue of the Intail on the Heirs Male, had the same allowed and confirmed to him by Parliament, in 1646; and marrying Elizabeth, Daughter to Thomas Knightley of Borough-Hall in the C. of Stafford, Esq; had five Sons, Essex, Leicester, Walter, Edward, and John: Essex, the eldest, married Anne, Daughter of Sir William Courteen of London, Kt, and died in his Father's Life-time, without Issue; Walter, Edward, and John left no Issue; and

[6th V.] LEICESTER became Heir. He married first Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to Sir William Withipole, Kt, with whom he had the Lordship of Christ-Church in Ipswich, and by her had a Daughter, Frances, married to William the fourth Visc. Tracy in Ireland; and by his second Wife, Priscilla, Daughter to John Catchpole of the C. of Suffolk, Esq; he had two Sons and two Daughters; of which, Elizabeth died unmarried, and Anne married first to Leicester Martin of Christ-Church aforesaid, Esq; elected Kt of the Shire for the C. of Suffolk in 1707, in the room of the Earl Dysart, who became a Peer of Great-Britain by the Union, and left an only Daughter, Elizabeth, married to Price, the 10th Visc. and secondly to John Berkley of Stoke in the C. of Gloucester, Esq; who died Dec. 11, 1736, leaving a Son, Narborne Berkley, Esq; now Kt of the Shire for the C. of Gloucester, and a Daughter, Elizabeth, married in April, 1740, to Charles Noel Somerset, late Duke of Beaufort. And of the Sons,

[7th V.] LEICESTER, the eldest, 'on the 1st of Dec. 1676, succeeded his Father in the Title of Visc. Hereford; but, he dying in March, 1682-3, being about eight Years of Age, the Honour devolved upon

[8th V.] EDWARD, his Brother. He married Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Walter Narborne of Calne in Wilts, Esq; by Frances, Daughter of Sir Edmund Bacon of Redgrave,

Devereux, *Viscount Hereford.*

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Redgrave, Bart; but having no Issue Male, and dying on the 9th of August, 1700, we return to

Sir GEORGE, Brother to Sir Walter, the 5th Visc. who married Blanch, Daughter and Heir to John Ridge of Ridge in the C. of Salop, Esq; and had

GEORGE, his Heir, who married Bridget, Daughter and sole Heir to Arthur Price of Vaynor in the C. of Montgomery, Esq; and had two Sons, Price, who died before him, and Vaughan;

PRICE, the eldest, leaving Issue by Mary his Wife, Daughter to — Stephens of the City of Bristol,

[9th V.] PRICE DEVEREUX, his Heir. This Lord married Mary, third Daughter to Samuel Sandys of Ombersby-Court, in the C. of Worcester, Esq; and by her, who died on the 14th of Jan. 1728-9, had one Son, Price, and one Daughter, Mary, married to William Price of Vaend in the C. of Flint; and dying in Oct. 1740, was succeeded in Honour and Estate by his only Son,

[10th V.] PRICE DEVEREUX, Kt of the Shire for the C. of Montgomery, born June 9, 1694, who married, Jan. 3, 1720, Elizabeth, only Daughter of Leicester Martin, Esq; above-mentioned; which Lady died, leaving no Issue. He married July 30, 1740, to his second Wife, Eleanora, Daughter of — Price of Rhwlas in Merionethshire, Esq; and dying in Aug. 1748, without Issue, we return to

VAUGHAN, second Son of George Devereux of Vaynor, Esq; who was seated at Nanteribba in the C. of Montgomery, and left Issue, by a Daughter of — Fox,

ARTHUR, his Heir, who married first a Daughter of Evan Glynn of Glynn, Esq; by whom he had two Sons, Arthur, who died in 1737, without Issue, and Vaughan, who died an Infant; but by his second Wife Elizabeth, Daughter of Richard Glynn, Esq; had Issue

[11th V.] EDWARD DEVEREUX of Nanteribba in the C. of Montgomery, Esq; now Visc. Hereford, who took his Seat Apr. 3, 1750, and married Catherine, Daughter of Richard Mytton of Garth in the C. of Montgomery, Esq;

which Lady died Feb. 2, 1748-9; by whom he had Issue,
 1. Bridget, born May 9, 1739; 2. Arthur, born March
 25, 1740, died the 15th of July following; 3. Edward,
 born Feb. 19, 1740-1; 4. Arthur, born Feb. 10, 1741-2,
 and died Sept. 17, 1743; 5. Catherine, born Feb. 7,
 1742-3; 6. George, born April 25, 1744.

A R M S.

Pearl, a Fels Ruby, in Chief three Torteauxes of the latter.

C R E S T.

In a Ducal Coronet Topaz, a Talbot's Head Pearl, ear'd
 Ruby.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the Dexter Side, a Talbot as the Crest, gorg'd with a
 Ducal Coronet Ruby; on the Sinister, a Rein Deer of the
 last, attired, Ducally gorg'd, and chain'd Topaz.

M O T T O.

Basis Virtutum Constantia.

Chief S E A T.

At Nanteribba in the County of Montgomery.

BROWN, Viscount MONTAGU.

II. **T**HE Right Honourable Anthony Brown, Viscount
 Montagu.

Created Viscount Montagu, Sept. 2, 1554, the 1st of
 Queen Mary.

Of this Family, which hath been of great Antiquity in
 England, was

Sir ANTHONY BROWN, Kt of the Bath at the Coro-
 nation of K. Rich. 2. He had Issue Sir Robert, and Sir
 Stephen, who was Lord-Mayor of London in 1439. Sir
 ROBERT was Father of Sir THOMAS BROWN, Kt, who,
 in the Reign of Hen. 6, was Treasurer of the Household;
 and had a Daughter, Catherine, married to Humphry Sack-
 ville, Esq; Ancestor to the Duke of Dorset, and five Sons;
 1. Sir

1. Sir George, from whom descended Sir Adam Brown of Beechworth in Surry, Bart, who, dying without surviving Issue in 1690, that Title became extinct. 2. William, who died without Issue. 3. Anthony. 4. Thomas. 5. Sir Robert, who married Mary, Daughter of Sir William Mallet, and left Eleanor his Heir, married first to Thomas Fogo, Esq; and secondly to William Kempe of Olantye in Kent, Esq; ANTHONY, the third, in the 1st Hen. 7, was made Standard-Bearer through the whole Realm of England, and elsewhere, and afterwards Esquire of the Body to that King, and Governor of Queenborough-Castle in Kent. He married Lucy, fourth Daughter and Coheir to John Nevil, who, in 1470, was created Marq. of Montagu, and had Sir Anthony, his Heir, who was knighted at Marlais in Britany, by the Lord-Admiral, for his eminent Service, at the winning that Town; and, in the 17th of Hen. 8, he was made Lieutenant of the Isle of Man; and two Daughters, Elizabeth, married to Henry Somerset the second Earl of Worcester, and Lucy, to Sir Thomas Clifford, Kt, Ancestor to the Countess Dowager of Leicester and Baroness Clifford.

Sir ANTHONY, in the 19th of Hen. 8, being then Kt of the Garter, was sent into France with the Ensigns of that Order to K. Francis I. as also to take his Oath for the Preservation of the League then made between the two Kings; and in the 24th attended K. Henry to Calais and Boloign. In the 30th of Hen. 8, he was made Master of the Horse, and had a Fee of 400l. per Ann. for that Service, and accompanied the Duke of Norfolk, then Lieu. Gen. in that Expedition made into Scotland, where they burnt above 20 villages. In the 36th of that Reign, he was at the Taking of Boloign, and the next Year was made Chief-Justice in Eyre of all the Forests North of Trent, and one of that King's Executors; and was also assigned one of the Council to Prince Edward. He was likewise Standard-Bearer to Hen. 8, as his Father had been to Hen. 7; and the 2d of Edw. 6, was Master of the Horse, when he died, and left Issue by Alice his Wife, Daughter of Sir John

John Gage, Kt of the Garter, four Sons and three Daughters; of which, Mary was married to John Grey, Brother to the Duke of Suffolk, and Ancestor to the Earl of Stamford; Mabel, to Gerald Fitz-Gerald, the eleventh Earl of Kildare in Ireland; and Lucy, to Thomas Roper of Ekham in Kent, Ancestor to the present Lord Teynham. The Sons were, 1. Anthony; 2. Thomas; 3. William, who married Anne, Daughter and Coheir of Hugh Hastings, with whom he had the Manor of Elsing in the C. of Southampton, from whom the Browns of Elsing are descended; and,

[1st V.] ANTHONY, the eldest, succeeded his Father, and by Reason his Grandmother (Lucy aforesaid) was Daughter and Coheir to John Nevil, Marq. of Montagu, he was, in the 1st of Philip and Mary, advanced to the Dignity of Baron and Visc. Montagu. He was, by Order of Parliament, sent to the Pope, together with Thomas Thurlby, Bishop of Ely, for reducing this Realm to an Union with the Church of Rome; and the 4th of Q. Mary was Lieu. Gen. of the English Forces at the Siege of St. Quintin: but in the 2d of Eliz. upon that grand Dispute in Parliament, for abolishing the Pope's Supremacy, and restoring it to the Crown, he was the only Person, who, with the Earl of Shrewsbury, then voted against it; yet, as he was a Person of Integrity, and that what he did was not out of Faction, but Zeal to his Religion, he was the next Year employed by the Queen as Ambassador into Spain. He was likewise one of the Peers that sat on the Trial of Mary Q. of Scots. He married first Jane, Daughter to Robert Ratcliffe, Earl of Sussex, and had a Son, Anthony, and a Daughter, Mary, first married to Henry Wriothesly, Earl of Southampton, secondly to Sir Thomas Heneage of Copt-Hall in Essex, Kt, and thirdly to Sir William Harvey, Kt and Bart, created Lord Ross in Ireland, and afterwards Baron of Kidbrook in England; and by his second Wife, Magdalen, Daughter to William Lord Dacres of Gillisland, he had four Sons and three Daughters; 1. Elizabeth, married to Robert the first Lord Dormer; 2. Mabel, to Sir Henry Capel, Kt, Ancestor

Ancestor to the Earl of Essex; 3. Jane, to Sir Francis Lacon of Willey in Salop, Kt. The Sons were, 1. Sir George of Wyckham in Kent, from whom is descended Sir John Brown of Caversham in Oxfordshire, Bart; 2. Thomas died unmarried; 3. Henry, from whom is descended Sir George Brown of Kiddington in the same County, Bart; and, 4. Francis.

ANTHONY, by the first Wife, married Mary, Daughter to Sir William Dormer of Ethorpe in Bucks, Kt of the Bath, and Sister to Robert the 7th Lord Dormer, who married secondly Sir Edmund Uvedale, Kt, and thirdly Sir Thomas Gerard of Bryn, and dying in his Father's Life-time, Oct. 19, 1592, left three Sons and three Daughters; Dorothy, married to Edmund Lee of Stanton-Barry in Buckinghamshire, Esq; Jane, to Sir Francis Englefield of Wotton-Basset in Wiltshire, Bart; and Catherine to — Treganian of the C. of Cornwall, Esq; The Sons were, 1. Anthony; 2. John, who married Anne Gifford, and had Issue Stanislaus and George; 3. William.

[2d V.] ANTHONY, the eldest, succeeded his Grandfather; and by Jane, Daughter to Thomas Sackville the first Earl of Dorset, had Francis his Heir, and six Daughters; Mary, married first to William Lord St. John of Basing, Son and Heir apparent to William the fourth Marq. of Winchester, and secondly to William Arundel, Esq; second Son to Thomas the first Lord Arundel of Wardour; Catherine, to William Tyrwhitt of Kettleby in the C. of Lincoln, Esq; Anne and Lucy, both Nuns; Frances, married to John Blomer of Hathorp in the C. of Gloucester, Esq; and Maria, to Robert the third Lord Petre: And,

[3d V.] FRANCIS, their Brother, who succeeded his Father, marrying Elizabeth, fourth and youngest Daughter to Henry Somerset the first Marq. of Worcester, had Anthony, who died unmarried; Francis, and Henry; and a Daughter, Elizabeth, married to Christopher Roper the fifth Lord Teynham.

[4th V.]

[4th V.] FRANCIS, the eldest surviving Son, on the 2d of November, 1682, succeeded, and married Mary, Daughter to William Herbert, Marq. of Powis, and Widow of Richard, eldest Son of Caryl Visc. Molineux in Ireland; but, dying without Issue in 1708,

[5th V.] HENRY, his Brother, became Heir. He married Barbara, Daughter to James Walsingham of Chesham in Essex, Esq; Son of Thomas Walsingham of Scadbury in Kent, Esq; by the Lady Anne Howard, Daughter of Theophilus the second Earl of Suffolk, and dying on the 25th of June, 1717, left Anthony his Heir, and six Daughters; Mary, who died unmarried; Elizabeth, a Nun, who died at Pontoise in Normandy; Barbara, married to Ralph Salvin, Esq; who, with one Daughter, survived him; Catherine, to George Collingwood of Northumberland, Esq; who left her a Widow, with a Daughter, the second Wife of Sir Robert Throckmorton of Buckland in the C. of Bucks, Bart, whom she married in Jan. 1737-8; Anne, married to Anthony Kempe of Slindon in Suffex, Esq; who left three Daughters, one of whom married Charles Lord Kinnaird in Scotland, and died in 1738 without Issue; and Henrietta married — Harcourt, Esq; and has an only Daughter unmarried.

[6th V.] ANTHONY, who succeeded, marrying Barbara, third Daughter to Sir John Webb of Hatherop in the C. of Gloucester, Bart, by her has had several Children, whereof one Son, Anthony, and one Daughter, Mary, are now living.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th, Diamond, three Lions passant between two Gemels in Bend Pearl, for Brown; 2d and 3d Pearl, three Fusils conjoin'd in Fefs, Ruby, for Montagu.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, an Eagle displayed, Emerald.

S U P.

Brown, *Viscount Montagu.*

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S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Wolves Pearl, with each a plain Collar and Chain-
Topaz.

M O T T O.

Suivez Raïson.

Chief S E A T.

At Cowdrey, near Midhurst, in Suffex.

FIENES, Viscount *SAY* and *SELE*.

III. **T**HE Right Honourable Richard Fienes, Viscount
and Baron Say and Sele.

Summoned to Parliament, as Baron Say and Sele in the
County of Kent, March 3, 1446, 25 Hen. 6, which Ti-
tle was recognized the 9th of August, 1603, 1st James 1,
and created Viscount of the same Places, July 7, 1624, 22
Jac. 1.

This Family is descended from JOHN Baron of Fienes,
Hereditary Constable of Dover-Castle, and Warden of the
Cinque-Ports, who was Father of JAMES, whose Son JOHN
had INGELRAM, his Heir, who was slain at the Battle
of Acon in the Holy-Land, the 2d of Rich. 1. He married
Sibyl de Tyngrie, Daughter and Heir to Faramus de Boloign,
Nephew to Maud, Wife of King Stephen, and had WIL-
LIAM, his Heir, who died in the 25th of Hen. 3, and
was succeeded by INGELRAM, his Son, who, in the 33d
of that Reign, received the Honour of Knighthood by
Bathing; he had two Sons, William and Sir Giles: WIL-
LIAM succeeded his Father, and died the 30th of Edw. 1,
leaving a Son JOHN, his Heir, seized of the Manors of
Clapham in Surry, Wendover in Bucks, and Mertock in
Somersetshire, who leaving no Issue, Sir GILES, his Uncle,
succeeded to the Estate. He was seated at Oldcourt in
Suffex the 7th of Edw. 2, in right of Sybil his Wife, Daugh-
ter and Heir of William Filliol, and had JOHN, his Heir,
who died in the 5th of Edw. 3, and by Joan his Wife,
Daughter and Heir of John Jordeyn, Forester of the Fee
of

of Twitchen in the Forest of Windsor, had a Son JOHN, who married Maud, Sister and Heir of John Monceaux of Hurt-Monceaux in Suffex, and dying the 25th of Edw. 3, left Issue Sir WILLIAM FIENES, Kt, who died the 34th of Edw. 3. He married Joan, Daughter to Geoffrey Lord Say, youngest Sister and Coheir to William de Say, (her eldest Sister, Idonea, being married to John Clinton, Ancestor of the Earl of Lincoln) and had a Son, Sir William Fienes, Kt, who, in the 20th of Rich. 2, was Sheriff of the Cs of Surry and Suffex. He married Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir of William Batifford, and had two Sons, Roger and James: Roger, the eldest, had a Son, Richard, who marrying Joan, Daughter and Heir of Thomas Lord Dacre, was declared Lord Dacre the 37th of Hen. 6, which determined in an Heir Female, Margaret, married to Sampson Lennard, whose Issue were Lord DACRE, of whom in their Place.

[1st Ld.] Sir JAMES, second Son of Sir William, in the Reign of Hen. 6, was Sheriff of the Cs of Kent, Surry, and Suffex, and Esquire of the Body to that King; and, in regard that Joan his Mother was Sister and Coheir to William de Say, as aforesaid, he was summoned to Parliament by the Title of Lord Say and Sele, and had a full Confirmation and Quit-claimer thereof from the Lord Clinton, who married the eldest Sister. He was also Constable of Dover-Castle, Warden of the Cinque-Ports, Chamberlain of the Household, of the Privy-Council, and Lord High-Treasurer of England; but afterwards, the Commons laying Treason to his Charge, for assenting to the Release of Anjou, and delivering of Maine to the French, he was first sequestered from his Office of Treasurer; and, upon the Insurrection of the Kentish Men under Jack Cade, though the King committed him to the Tower, yet they, entering the City of London, and finding their Numbers increase, fetched him thence to Guildhall, and arraigned him before the Lord-Mayor, and other the King's Justices, notwithstanding his Request to be tried by his Peers; and, from thence hurrying him to the Standard in Cheapside, cut off his

his Head, and carried it on a Pole, causing his naked Body to be drawn at a Horse's Tail into Southwark to St. Thomas Waterings, where it was quartered, July 4, 1451, 29 Hen. 6. He married Emeline, Daughter of — Cromer of Willingham, and was succeeded by

[2d Ld.] Sir WILLIAM, his Son, who in the same Year, being seized of an Estate in tail to himself, and the Heirs Male of his Body, of the Office of Constable of Dover-Castle, and Warden of the Cinque-Ports, granted all his Right and Title thereto to Humphry Duke of Buckingham, and his Heirs Male. He was also the same Year summoned to Parlt, and afterwards attended the King in his Wars in France, to the 38th of his Reign. In the 1st of Edw. 4, he was made Constable of Porchester-Castle in the C. of Southampton, and of Pevensey-Castle in Suffex, for Life; and, being one of the Lords who attended that King into the North, the same Year was made Vice-Admiral to Richard Nevil, the great Earl of Warwick, then High-Admiral of England. He married Margaret, Daughter and Heir to William Wyckham, Son and Heir to Sir Thomas Wyckham, Kt, with whom he had the Lordship of Broughton, near Banbury in the C. of Oxford, and by her, who married secondly John Harvey, Esq; had a Son,

HENRY, who succeeded him; but, by reason the said Lord William had suffered much, and been forced to mortgage the greatest Part of his Estate, in him the Barony became extinct. He died 1st August, 16 Edw. 4, and by Anne, Daughter to Sir Richard Harcourt of Stanton-Harcourt in the C. of Oxford, Kt, had

RICHARD, his Heir, who by Elizabeth his Wife, Daughter to Richard Crofts of Chipping-Norton in the C. of Oxford, Esq; had a Daughter, Elizabeth, married to William Danvers, Esq; from whom is descended the present Sir John Danvers, Bart, and a Son,

EDWARD, who marrying Margaret, Daughter to Sir John Danvers of Dantzey in Wilts, by her was Father of

RICHARD FIENNES, who succeeded him, and married Ursula

Ursula fourth Daughter to Richard Fermor, Esq; Ancestor of the Earl of Pomfret, and by her was Father of

[3d Ld.] Sir RICHARD FIENES, who by Letters Patent, in 1603, the 1st of James I, was restored to the Title of Lord Say and Sele, and died in 1612. He married Constance, Daughter to Sir William Kingsmill, and by her had a Daughter, Anne, married first to Henry Cave of Ingham in the C. of Leicester, Esq; and secondly to Sir William Villiers, Kt and Bart, Uncle to the Great Duke of Buckingham; and a Son,

[1st V.] Sir WILLIAM FIENES, Kt, who, in the 22d of Jam. I, was created Visc. Say and Sele, and on the Restoration made Lord Privy Seal. He, marrying Elizabeth, Daughter to John Temple of Stow in Bucks, Esq; Ancestor of the Earl Temple, by her had four Sons, James, Nathaniel, John and Richard; and five Daughters, Bridget, married to Theophilus the fourth Earl of Lincoln; Elizabeth, to Richard Norton, Esq; Constance, to Sir Francis Boynton, Bart; Susan, to Thomas Earl, Esq; and Anne, to Sir Charles Wolfely of Wolfely in the C. of Stafford, Bart.

[2d V.] JAMES, the eldest Son, in 1662, succeeded his Father. He married Frances, eldest of the four Daughters and Coheirs to Edward Cecil, Visc. Wimbleton, third Son of Thomas the first Earl of Exeter, and had three Sons and two Daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir John Twisleton of Barlow in Yorkshire, Kt, and Frances, to Andrew Ellis of the C. of Flint, Esq; The two eldest Sons dying in their Infancy, and the youngest in France, unmarried, we return to

NATHANIEL, his Brother, who marrying Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir John Eliot of Port-Eliot in Cornwall, Kt, had a Son,

[3d V.] WILLIAM, who in 1673 succeeded the said James, his Uncle, in his Honours. He married Mary, Daughter of Richard Fienes, before-mentioned, his Father's youngest Brother, and had an only Son,

[4th V.]

[4th V.] NATHANIEL, who succeeded him; but, he dying on the 10th of January, 1709-10, unmarried, we return to

JOHN FIENNES, the third Son of William the first Viscount. He married Susanna, Daughter and sole Heir to Thomas Hobbs of Amwell in the C. of Hertford, Esq; and had six Sons; John, Thomas, and Henry, who lived to Man's Estate, but died unmarried; William married Cecile, Daughter of Andrew Ellis, Esq; before-mentioned, Widow of Richard Langley, Esq; but left no Issue; Lawrence became the fifth Viscount, and Richard died young. He had also four Daughters; Susannah, married to Thomas Filmer, Esq; Hannah, to Mr. John Knight of Broughton in Oxfordshire; Elizabeth and Martha died unmarried.

[5th V.] LAWRENCE, succeeding to the Title, took his Seat in the House of Peers, Feb. 24, 1710; and, dying without Issue in December, 1742, we come to

RICHARD, the fourth Son of the first Viscount. He married two Wives; first the Daughter and Heir of Andrew Burrell of the Isle of Ely, Esq; and had two Sons, viz. Faramus and William, who both died without Issue; and five Daughters; Elizabeth, married first to William Danvers of Broughton in the C. of Oxon, secondly to John Brawn of Gloucestershire; Mary, to William the third Viscount, above-mentioned; Anne, to Dr. Beaumont Percival of Harding in Flintshire; Arabella; and Alice, married to John Horn of Winchester, Esq; He married, secondly, Susanna, third Daughter of Sir William Cobb of Adderbury in Oxfordshire, by whom he had one Son,

RICHARD, a Clergyman, and Rector of Akely in Buckinghamshire, who married Penelope, Daughter of George Chamberlain of Wardington in Oxfordshire, Esq; and had Issue Richard, the present Viscount, and four Daughters; Susanna, married to — Gordon of Greenwich, Esq; Penelope, to Richard Wyckham of Strateley in the C. of Oxford, Esq; Elizabeth, married to the Rev. Mr. Henry Quartley, Rector of Wicken in Northamptonshire; and Cecilia.

[6th V.] RICHARD, his Cousin, succeeded to the Title, and is the present Viscount. He married, Jan. 28, 1754, Isabella, Daughter of Sir John Tirrel, Bart, and Widow of John Pigot of Tattershal in Buckinghamshire, Esq;

A R M S.

Sapphire, three Lions rampant, Topaz.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Wolf sejant, Pearl, his radiant Collar and Chain Topaz;

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Wolves Pearl, gorg'd and chain'd as the Crest.

C H I E F S E A T.

At Tattershal near Ailesbury, Bucks.

TOWNSHEND, Viscount TOWNSHEND.

IV. **T**HE Right Honourable Charles Townshend, Vise. Townshend of Raynham, Baron Townshend of Lynn-Regis, and Baronet.

Created Baronet April 16, 1617, 15 Jac. 1; Baron Townshend of Lynn-Regis in the County of Norfolk, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. 2; and Viscount Townshend of Raynham in the same County, Dec. 2, 1682, 34 Car. 2.

Of the Family of Townshend, which hath long flourished in Norfolk, was LODOWICK TOWNSHEND, who married Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to Sir Thomas de Haywell, Kt; and was succeeded by WALTER, his Son, who by Maud, Daughter of Sir Roger Scogan, Kt, had ROGER, his Heir, who married Catherine, Daughter of John Atherton of the C. of Suffex, Esq; and was Father of Sir THOMAS, who married Eleanor, Daughter of William Pain of the C. of Norfolk: His Son and Heir, Sir ROGER, married Eleanor, Daughter of Sir Thomas Gigg

of

of Rollesby in Norfolk, and had Issue JOHN, his Heir, who died in the 6th Edw. 4. and was buried at Raynham; and left Issue by Joan, Daughter and Heir of Sir Robert Lunsford, Sir ROGER, his Heir, who, in the Reign of Edw. 5, was made Chief-Justice of the Common-Pleas: He married Anne, Daughter and Coheir to Sir William Brewse of Wenham-Hall in Suffolk, Kt, by whom he had a numerous Issue: Of the Daughters, Thomasine was married to Sir Thomas Wodehouse of Kimberly, Kt and Bt; another, married to Anthony Castell of Raveningham; Anne, to Philip Cressener at Attleborough; Susan, to Sir Edward Wyndham of Felbrig; and Catherine, to Sir Henry Bedingfield of Oxborough, Kt, all in the C. of Norfolk. The Sons were, 1. Sir Roger, who died without Issue; 2. John; 3. Sir Robert, who was Chief-Justice of Chester, and whose Issue still remain in Shropshire; 4. George, of Doerham-Abby; 5. Thomas, of Testerton, both in Norfolk; 6. Giles. JOHN, the second Son, married Eleanor, Daughter of Sir John Heydon of Baconsthorp in Norfolk, and had Issue two Daughters, of which, Catherine was married to Francis Colvil of Marshland, Esq; and Anne, to Thomas Crofts of Falmingham in the same C; and four Sons, of which, RICHARD, the eldest, married Catherine, Daughter and Coheir to Sir Humphry Brown of Ridley in the C. of Chester, Judge of the Common-Pleas, and by her had Sir ROGER TOWNSHEND, Kt, who by Jane, youngest Daughter of Sir Michael Stanhope, Kt, Ancestor of the three Earls of that Name, who afterwards married Henry the seventh Lord Berkeley, Ancestor of the Earl of Berkeley, had Issue, 1. Sir John; 2. Sir Robert, who married Anne, Daughter to William Lord Spencer, and Sister to Henry the first Earl of Sunderland, but died without Issue. Sir JOHN was Member in several Parliaments for Castle-Rising, Orford, and Norfolk, and was a leading Member in that called by K. James, during which he had the Misfortune to quarrel with Sir Matthew Brown of Beachworth-Castle, Surry, which ended in a Duel, fought on Horseback on Hounslow-Heath, where

Sir Matthew was killed on the Spot; and Sir John died of his Wounds soon after, Aug. 2, 1603: He married the Daughter and Coheir of Nathaniel Bacon of Stiffay in Norfolk, and by her had,

[1st Bart.] 1. ROGER TOWNSHEND of Raynham, Esq; who in 1617, the 15th of Jam. 1, was created a Bart, and died Jan. 1, 1636; 2. Stanhope Townshend, who was wounded in a Duel in the Low-Countries, which occasioned his Death; 3. Elizabeth, married to John Spelman, Esq; Sir ROGER, the eldest, married Mary, Daughter and Coheir to Horace Lord Vere of Tilbury, and by her, who afterwards married Mildmay, the second Earl of Westmorland, had Sir Roger, who died in his Minority, and Sir Horatio, and five Daughters, Mary, Jane, Anne, Elizabeth, and Vere; whereof the latter was married to Sir Ralph Hare of Stow-Bardolph in Norfolk, Kt; Anne, to William Cartwright of Aynoe in the C. of Northampton, Esq; Jane, to John Wyndham, Esq; and Mary, to Thomas Lord Crew: And

[1st V.] Sir HORATIO, their Brother, being a great Loyalist in the Time of the Civil War, and, in order to forward the Restoration, putting himself in Arms, and fortifying the Haven of King's-Lynn for the King's Reception, he was, for those and many other like Services, in 1661 created Lord Townshend of Lynn-Regis, and in 1682 Visc. Townshend of Raynham.

He married first Mary, Daughter and sole Heir to Edward Lewknor of Denham in Suffolk, Esq; by whom he had no Issue; secondly, Mary, Daughter to Sir Joseph Ashe of Twickenham in Middlesex, Kt, by whom he had three Sons, Charles, Roger, and Horatio; whereof the latter was Member for Heytesbury, afterwards Governor of the Bank, and was many Years one of the Commissioners of the Excise, and died Oct. 4, 1751, leaving a Daughter, married to the Lord Burleigh, eldest Son of the Earl of Exeter: Roger was several Times chosen Representative for Yarmouth, and for the C. of Norfolk, and died on the 22d of May, 1709, unmarried: And

[2d V.]

[2d V.] CHARLES, the eldest, succeeded his Father. In the Reign of Queen Anne he was appointed Ambassador Extraordinary to the States-General, Captain of the Yeomen of the Guard, one of the Commissioners to treat of the Union, and one of the Privy-Council; and, upon her Decease, was one of the Lord Justices, till his Majesty arrived from Hanover, as he was in 1720, 1723, 1725, and 1727.

On the 17th of Sept. 1714, he was made Principal Secretary of State, and on the 23d of Jan. 1716-17, Lord Lieut. of Ireland; but was removed on the 19th of April following.

On the 11th of June, 1720, he was constituted President of the Council.

On the 8th of Feb. 1720-21, he was again made Principal Secretary of State; and on the 9th of July, 1724, being elected a Kt of the Garter, was installed the 28th of the same Month.

On the 24th of July, 1727, he delivered up the Seals of his Office of Secretary of State to his Majesty K. Geo. 2, who was pleased to deliver them to him again; after which, on the 3d of Sept. he was appointed Lord Lieut. and C. Rot. for the C. of Norfolk, and in 1729 attended his Majesty to Hanover; but on the 15th of May, 1730, he resigned his Posts of Secretary of State, Lord Lieut. &c.

This Lord had two Wives: By the second (who was Dorothy, Sister to Robert Walpole, created Earl of Orford, and who died on the 29th of March, 1726) he had Issue four Sons and two Daughters; George, a Commodore in the Navy, made Rear-Admiral of the White, Feb. 8, 1755; Augustus, Captain of a Ship in the Service of the East-India Company, deceased; Horatio, one of the Commissioners of the Victualling-Office; Edward, Prebendary of Westminster, and Deputy-Clerk of the Closet to his Majesty, who married in May, 1747, a Daughter of Brig. Gen. Price; Dorothy, married to Dr. Spencer Cowper, Dean of Durham, Brother to the Earl; and Mary, married, Mar. 17, 1753, to Edward Cornwallis, Esq; Brother to the

Lord Cornwallis: And by his first (who was Elizabeth, second Daughter to Thomas Lord Pelham) he had four Sons, and a Daughter, Elizabeth, married to Charles, Lord Cornwallis.

Of the Sons by the first Wife, which were Charles, Thomas, William, and Roger, the latter was Captain of a Troop of Horse in Gen. Wade's Regiment; and in Feb. 1737-8, was chosen Member of Parliament for Yarmouth, as he was in the succeeding Parliament, and in 1747 for Eye: In July, 1743, he was made Aid-de-Camp to his Majesty, and Governor of the Forts and Batteries of Yarmouth; and in Feb. 1747-8, was made Receiver-General of his Majesty's Customs; but is as yet unmarried. The third, who was Aid-de-Camp to his Majesty, and on 29th of May, 1725, married Henrietta, Daughter of the Lord William Powlett, by Anne Egerton, his second Wife, was on the 7th of Dec. 1728, made Groom of the Bedchamber to Frederick, late Pr. of Wales, and was also Usher of his Majesty's Exchequer, and Member of Parliament for the Borough of Yarmouth in Norfolk: He died in Jan. 1737-8, leaving a Son, Charles; and she died in Jan. 1755. The second is one of the Tellers of his Majesty's Exchequer, and Member of Parliament for the University of Cambridge; and on the 2d of May, 1730, married Albana, Daughter to Colonel John Selwyn, Member of Parliament for Gloucester, and by her, who died in 1739, he had two Sons, Thomas, born Feb. 1732-3, and the other in 1736, and a Daughter, born in April, 1735, and married to George Vise. Middleton of the Kingdom of Ireland in April, 1752.

And

[3d V.] CHARLES, the eldest, on the 24th of May, 1723, was called up by Writ to the House of Peers, and was one of the Gentlemen of the Bedchamber to the King. In the same Month his Lordship married Audrey, Daughter and sole Heir of Edward Harrison of Balls in the C. of Hertford, Esq; late Governor of Fort St. George, and by her had issue four Sons, and a Daughter; 1. George, born 28th of Feb. 1723-4, Brigadier-General of his Majesty's Forces, Commander in Chief at the Taking of Quebec, Sept,

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Sept. 18, 1759, Col. of the Eastern Battalion of the Norfolk Militia, and of the 28th Reg. of Foot. He is Kt of the Shire for the C. of Norfolk; he married, Dec. 1751, the Lady Charlotte Compton, only Daughter of the Earl of Northampton, and Barnefs Ferrers of Chartley, by whom she had a Son, George, born April 7, 1753, who is Heir to the Barony of Ferrers, and the Barony of Compton, as well as to the Title of Viscount Townshend, and a Daughter, Charlotte, born Oct. 15, 1754: 2. Charles, Member in the late and present Parliament for Yarmouth; in June, 1749, he was made a Commissioner of Trade and Plantations, and in Sept. 1751, Secretary to his Majesty's extraordinary Embassy to the Catholick King; and in a Lord of the Admiralty. He married, Sept. 15, 1755, the Lady Caroline Campbell, eldest Daughter of John late Duke of Argyll, and Widow of Francis Earl of Dalkieth, and Mother of the Duke of Bucclugh. On Dec. 11, 1756, he was made Treasurer of the Chamber, and on sworn of the Privy Council: 3. Edward died of the Small-Pox, June 25, 1731: 4. Roger, an Officer in the Army; and, 5. Audrey, unmarried.

On the 15th of June, 1730, his Lordship was appointed Lord Lieut. and C. Rot. for the C. of Norfolk, &c. in room of his Father, who resigned, and also about the same Time was made Master of the Jewel-Office; which last (on succeeding his Father, who died in June, 1738, aged 64) he resigned.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th Sapphire, a Chevron Ermine, between three Escallop Shells Pearl, for Townshend. 2d and 3d Quarterly, Ruby and Topaz, in the 1st a Mullet Silver, for Vere.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Buck Diamond, attired proper.

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S U P P O R T E R S.

On the Dexter Side, a Buck as the Crest. On the Sinister,
a Greyhound Pearl.

M O T T O.

Hæc Generi Incrementa Fides.

C H I E F S E A T S.

At Raynham-Hall in the County of Norfolk, 7 Miles from Castle-Rising, and 78 from London; at Stiffcay-Hall in the same County, 3 Miles from Walsingham, and 92 from London; and at Denham-Hall in the County of Suffolk, 2 Miles from Eye, and 74 from London.

THYNNE, Viscount WEYMOUTH.

TH E Right Honourable Thomas Thynne, Viscount Weymouth, Baron Thynne of Warminster, and Baronet, and High-Steward of Tamworth.

Created Baronet July 15, 1641, 17 Car. 1.; Baron Thynne of Warminster in the County of Wilts, and Viscount Weymouth in the County of Dorset, Dec. 11, 1682, 34 Car. 2.

This Family, according to the Account of our best Historians, came into England in the Reign of King John, bearing the Surname of Bouteville; for that Prince, during the Wars with the Barons, sending to his Subjects in the Countries of Poictou and Gascoigne for Troops to assist him, they sent him a considerable Army, under the Command of Sir GEOFFREY and Oliver de Bouteville, two Brothers, who, joining with his Forces here, made him for some time victorious; and, they taking from Albany, called Pincerna, then Earl of Arundel, Belvoir-Castle, now the Duke of Rutland's, Sir Geoffrey, for his good Services, was made Governor thereof, in which Command he carried himself so fairly, that the said Earl gave him Part of his two great
Manors

Manors of Stratton and Cardington, in the C. of Salop, now called Batsfield-Lye, or Botsfield-Place.

To the said Sir Geoffrey succeeded WILLIAM, his Son, who had a Son, Sir JOHN, who attended K. Edw. 1 at the Siege of Carlaverock; and to him succeeded Sir ADAM, his Son; but he being attainted of Treason the 15th of Edw. 2, for taking Part with Thomas Earl of Lancaster at the Battle of Borough-Brigg, the House of Bouteville was overthrown, though in some Part revived again by JOHN, his Nephew, who had Part of the Lands of Stratton and Botsfield; and from him descended RICHARD BOUTEVILE, who, in the Reign of Rich. 2, forfeited all his Lands to Richard Earl of Arundel; and the Family of Bouteville was a second Time ruined; but afterwards the said Richard, finding Favour with the said Earl of Arundel, obtained Part of those Lands again.

To Richard succeeded THOMAS, his Son, from whom descended John Bouteville, who was also of Stratton, and was named JOHN LE THYNNE; and from him (who lived in the Reign of Edw. 4.) the Name of Thynne was derived to the Family of Bouteville.

He married Joan, Daughter of — Boulder, by whom he had Issue three Sons, William, Roger, and Thomas; which last died without Issue: From Roger descended Tho. Thynne of Deverill, Wilts, who married Elizabeth Dons, and was living in 1665, very aged, as the Pedigree now in Long-Leat, drawn by Mr. Francis Thynne, sets forth. WILLIAM, the eldest of the three Brothers, married Joan, Daughter of John Higgins of Stratton, and had Issue Thomas, and William, Father of Francis abovementioned, one of the six Heralds. THOMAS married Margaret, Daughter and Heir of Thomas Eynes of Stratton, Esq; by whom he had Sir JOHN THYNNE, Builder of Long-Leat, descended by his Mother from the Heiresses of Blake, Fil-lilode, Astley, Gatacre, Burley, and Pembridge, all very eminent Families in Herefordshire and Shropshire. This noble Seat was a Priory of the Monks of St. Augustine; the Foundation of it was laid in 1567; but he did not live

to finish it, though it was 13 Years from the Foundation to his Death. This Sir John was bred up by his Uncle William Thynne, Master of the Household to K. Hen. 8, and Collector and Publisher of the Works of Chaucer, dedicated to the said King; and, having rendered himself considerable by his Parts and Travels, was taken into the Service of the Duke of Somerset, Lord Protector, and made his chief Officer.

He was knighted in the Battle of Muscledborough-Field against the Scots, Sept. 20, 1547, whilst the Wounds he there received were bleeding, having then likewise given him, for his good Services, the Scots Lion for an Addition to his Arms; and, during the Reign of Q. Mary, he was Comptroller of the Household to the Princess Elizabeth, afterwards Queen.

He married first Christian, Daughter to Sir Richard Gresham, Sister and Heir to Sir Thomas Gresham, who founded Gresham-College, with whom he had above 2000 l. a Year, and by her had John, his Heir; Francis Thynne of Kemford in the C. of Gloucester, Esq; Thomas Thynne of Bitton in Wilts; and three Daughters; Anne, married to John Colles of Barton, Somerset, Esq; the Heiress of whose Family brought a considerable Estate to the Family of Portman; Dorothy, married to John Strangeways of Melbury, Dorset, Esq; and Elizabeth, to Sir John Chamberlain of Prestbury in Gloucestershire. His second Wife was Dorothy, Daughter to Sir William Wroughton, Kt, by whom he had five Sons, Harry, Charles, Edward, William, and Egremont; and two Daughters, Catherine and Gresham. He died May 21, 1580, and was succeeded by Sir John, his eldest Son, who married Joan, Daughter of Sir Rowland Heyward, Kt, Lord-Mayor of London, and with her had a great Estate in the C. of Salop, and by her had a Son, Thomas, and two Daughters; Dorothy, married to ——— Roscarrock of Cornwall, Esq; and Christian, to Sir Francis Legh of Adlington, Surry, Kt. Sir Thomas, their Brother, who was Member of Parliament for Tamworth, married two Wives; first Mary, Daughter

Daughter to George Lord Audley, and Earl of Castlehaven, by whom he had two Sons, Sir JAMES and Sir THOMAS; of which the eldest succeeded him; but, he (who married the Lady Isabella Rich, Daughter to Henry Earl of Holland) dying without Issue, Sir THOMAS, his Brother, became Heir; he married a Daughter of Dr. Belanquell, Dean of Durham, and had Issue one Son, Thomas, and two Daughters; one married to Mr. Bayntun of Spy-Park, and the other to Mr. Hall of Bradford, both in the C. of Wilts: THOMAS, their Brother, succeeded his Father; he was Member of Parl. for Tamworth, from 1678 to his Death; was married, or contracted in Marriage, to Elizabeth, only Daughter and Heir of Josceline Percy, the last Earl of Northumberland, and Widow of Henry Earl of Ogle, Son and Heir of Henry Duke of Newcastle, afterwards the Wife of Charles Duke of Somerset; on which Lady's Account he was basely murdered, by the Contrivance of Count Canningmark, in his Coach, in Pall-mall, on Sunday the 12th of Feb. 1681-2, by three Assassins, who were all executed where they committed the Fact.

The Male Line of this Branch thus expiring, we return to Sir THOMAS THYNNE, his Grandfather, who married to his second Wife Catherine, Daughter of Charles Howard, Son of Thomas Visc. Bindon, by whom he had Sir HENRY-FREDERICK THYNNE, Bart, who married Mary, Daughter to Thomas Lord Coventry, and by her had three Sons and two Daughters; of which, Catherine, the youngest, was married to John Lowther, Visc. Lonsdale; and Mary, the eldest, to Sir Richard How of Withford in the C. of Wilts, Bart.

[1st V.] And of the Sons, which were THOMAS, James, and Henry - Frederick, James died unmarried, March 15, 1708-9, at Long-Leat; and the eldest, succeeding, was created a Baron, and Visc. Weymouth, with Limitation, for Want of Heirs, to his Brothers.

He married the Lady Frances Finch, eldest Daughter to Heneage Earl of Winchelsea, and by her, who died Apr. 17, 1712, aged 63, had a Son named Henry, and a Daughter Frances,

Frances, married to Sir Robert Worsley of Clinton in the C. of Southampton, Bart, and by him was Mother of the late Lady Carteret: And Henry, his Son, marrying Grace, Daughter and sole Heir to Sir George Strode of Lewiston, Dorset, Serjeant at Law, by her had two Daughters, Frances and Mary; of which, the youngest married William Greville, Lord Brook, but died March 29, 1720, in the 19th Year of her Age; and the eldest is now the Widow-Dowager of Algernon Seymour, late Duke of Somerset. But the said Henry, who was Member of Parliament for Tamworth in 1701, having no Issue Male, and dying on the 20th of Dec. 1708, in his Father's Lifetime, the Title, after his Father's Decease, the 28th of July, 1714, in the 74th Year of his Age, descended to the Heirs of HENRY-FREDERICK, before-mentioned, his Father's younger Brother; who marrying Dorothy, Daughter and Coheir to Francis Philips, Esq; an eminent Counsellor at Law of the Inner Temple, who had a Seat at Sundury, Middlesex, by her had THOMAS THYNNE of Old Windsor in the C. of Berks, Esq; who died on the 24th of April, 1710; John, who died in 1708; Dorothy, married to John How, late Lord Chedworth; and Mary, who died in 1710. Thomas, their Brother, married Mary, Daughter to Edward Villiers, Earl of Jersey, whom he left with Child of

[2d V.] THOMAS, as Successor to Thomas, his Grandfather's Brother; and his Lordship on the 6th of Dec. 1726, married the Lady Elizabeth Sackville, second Daughter of Lionel Duke of Dorset, who died, before Cohabitation, on the 29th of June, 1729, whilst his Lordship was on his Travels. But his Lordship, marrying in July, 1733, to his second Wife, Louisa, second Daughter to John Lord Carteret, now Earl Granville, had Issue Thomas, born Sept. 13, 1734; James, a second Son, born Nov. 1735; and Henry-Frederick, a third Son, born Dec. 25, 1736, when she died in Child-bed. His Lordship was made Ranger of Hyde and St. James's Parks in 1739; and, dying on Saturday,

day, Jan. 2, 1750-1, in the 41st Year of his Age, was succeeded by his eldest Son,

[3d V.] THOMAS, now Visc. Weymouth, who married May 22, 1759, the Lady Elizabeth Bentinck, eldest Daughter of the present Duke of Portland.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th Barruly of ten, Topaz and Diamond. 2d and 3d Pearl, a Lion rampant, queuee howed, Ruby.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Rein Deer, Gold.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the Dexter Side, a Rein Deer, as the Crest, gorged with a plain Collar, Diamond. On the Sinister, a Lion, as in the Coat.

M O T T O.

J'ay Bonne Cause.

Chief S E A T S.

At Long-Leat in the County of Wilts, 3 Miles from Warminster, and 83 from London; at Drayton-Basset, in the County of Stafford, 2 Miles from Tamworth, and 91 from London; and at Botsfield in the County of Salop, 5 Miles from Shrewsbury, and 123 from London.

HATTON, Viscount HATTON.

VI. **T**HE Right Honourable William Hatton, Viscount Hatton of Gretton, and Baron Hatton of Kirby.

Created Baron Hatton of Kirby in the County of Northampton, July 29, 1643, 19 Car. 1; and Viscount Hatton of Gretton in the same County, January 17, 1682, 34 Car. 2.

Of this Family of Hatton, which derive their Surname from the Lordship of Hatton in the C. of Chester (granted to this Family by William the Conqueror, and the Original Grant in the present Lord's Possession) was Nigel, Baron of Hatton, whose youngest Brother, Wolfaith, was Constable of the City of Chester; and from him descended Peter Hatton; which Peter, marrying Margaret, Daughter and Coheir to George Boscok of Mobberly in the C. of Chester, Kt, by her had nine Sons; 1. Richard, his Heir, Ancestor to those of Shrewsbury; 2. Peter, Ancestor to those of Kirfty-Birches; 3. HENRY, to those of Holdenby and Kirby in the C. of Northampton; 4. Robert, to those of Netley in the C. of Chester and in London; 5. John, to those of Maxfield; 6. Ralph, to those of Weverham; 7. Adam, to those of Northwich, all in the C. of Chester, and to those of Sutton near Nonsuch in Surrey; 8. Simon, to those of Stockton-Yats; and, 9. Hugh, who died without Issue. Henry, the third Son, who was of Kirby in the C. of Northampton, marrying Elizabeth, Sister and Heir to William Holdenby of Holdenby in the said C. of Northampton, by her had John, his Son and Heir; which JOHN, by Joan, his Wife, Daughter to John Westby of the C. of Kent, had three Sons, William, his Successor, John, and Christopher.

WILLIAM, who succeeded, married Alice, Daughter to Laurence Saunders of Haringworth, Esq; and by her had a Son named CHRISTOPHER, who by his singular Merits became a great Ornament to his Family, and raised it first to the Honour it now enjoys: He was much in Favour of Queen Elizabeth, who made him one of her Gentlemen Pensioners, and after that Gentleman of the Privy-Chamber, Captain of the Guard, Vice-Chamberlain of the Household, one of the Privy-Council, Lord High Treasurer of England, and Kt of the Most Noble Order of the Garter; but, dying in 1591, unmarried, he adopted his Newpew, Sir William Newport, to be his Heir.

This Sir WILLIAM was Son of Dorothy Hatton, Sister to the said Sir Christopher, by John Newport of Haringham

ham in the C. of Warwick, Esq; her Husband, and changed his Name to Hatton; but, in Default of Issue Male, the said Sir Christopher settled the greatest Part of his Estate on Christopher Hatton, his Godson; which Christopher was Son and Heir by a Daughter of Robert Shute, Esq; Ancestor of William Wildman, Viscount Barrington, to John Hatton, Son of another John, who was second Son of John, his Father's Brother; and the said CHRISTOPHER (upon the Death of Sir William-Newport Hatton, who married first Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to Sir Francis Gaudy, Kt, Lord Chief-Justice of the Court of Common-Pleas, and secondly Elizabeth, Daughter to Thomas Cecil, the first Earl of Exeter, and died without Issue Male, leaving by his first Wife an only Daughter, Frances, married to Robert the second Earl of Warwick) enjoyed it accordingly; and, at the Coronation of King James I, was made Kt of the Bath. His second Wife married, secondly, Sir Edward Coke, Kt, Lord Chief Justice of the King's Bench.

He married Alice, Daughter to Thomas Fanshaw of Ware-Park, Esq; and by her had a Son,

[1st Ld.] CHRISTOPHER, who, at the Coronation of K. Cha. I, was made Kt of the Bath, and afterwards by that King was created a Baron, by the Title of Lord Hatton of Kirby, and made Comptroller of his Household; and, upon the Restoration of Charles II, was constituted Governor of the Isle of Guernsey, and made one of his Privy-Council.

He married Elizabeth, eldest of the three Daughters and Coheirs to Sir Charles Montagu, a younger Brother to Henry Earl of Manchester; and, dying in the Year 1670, by her, who died Dec. 29, 1672, left two Sons and three Daughters, Christopher, Charles, Mary, Jane, and Alice; of which,

[1st V.] CHRISTOPHER, the eldest, succeeded, and, by K. Cha. II, was created a Viscount. He succeeded his Father as Governor of the Isle of Guernsey, where he wonderfully elapsed with his Life's For, residing with his Family at Cornet-Castle, standing about half a Mile in the Sea, the

the Magazine of Powder blew up at Midnight, as supposed, by Lightning; and his Lordship, being sleeping in his Bed, was blown out of the Window, and lay some Time on the Wall of the Castle unhurt. His Lady, and several Women, her Attendants, perished; and one of his Children was found next Day alive, sleeping in its Cradle under a Beam. He married to his first Wife the Lady Cecilia Tufton, third Daughter to John the second Earl of Thanet, and by her had three Daughters, Anne, Margaret, and Elizabeth; whereof the eldest, and only one surviving, was married to Daniel Finch, Earl of Nottingham; and by his second, who was Frances, Daughter to Sir Henry Yelverton of Easton-Manduit in the C. of Northampton, he had several Children, which all died young; but by his third, who was Elizabeth, eldest Daughter to Sir William Haslewood of Maidwell in the C. of Northampton, and Coheir (with her Sister Penelope, Wife of Henry-Portman Seymour, Esq;) to her Brother Peter Haslewood, Esq; who died Jan. 15, 1732-3, he had three Sons and three Daughters, William, Charles, John, Elizabeth, Penelope, and Anne; of which,
 [2d V.] WILLIAM, the eldest, in 1706, succeeded him, is now Visc. Hatton, and as yet unmarried.

A R M S.

Sapphire, a Chevron between three Garbs, Topaz.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, an Hind at gaze, Gold.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Horses Pearl, bridled Diamond.

M O T T O.

Virtus tutissima Cassis.

Chief S E A T.

At Kirby in the County of Northampton, 3 Miles from
 Rockingham, 5 from Oundle, and 63 from London.

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**ST. JOHN, Viscount BOLINGBROKE and
ST. JOHN.**

VII. **T**HE Right Honourable Frederick St. John,
Vise. Bolingbroke and St. John, and Baron of
Battersea.

Created Baron of Battersea in the County of Surry, and
Viscount St. John, July 2, 1716, 2 Geo. 1.

This being a younger Branch of the Family of St. John of
Bletshoe, under which Title, among the Barons, it is treated
of at large, I shall here only speak of the Line of Tregoze,
from the Time they parted off, or divided from that of Blet-
shoe; which (as I have there observed) was in the Person
of Sir Oliver St. John, second Son of Sir Oliver St. John,
Kt, by Margaret, the Heir of Sir John Beauchamp of Blet-
shoe, who enjoyed the Lordship of Lydiard-Tregoze, in
Right of his Mother, the said Margaret; which Lordship
came to the Beauchamps, through the Batonies of Ewyas,
Tregoze, Grandison, and Pateshall.

The aforesaid Sir OLIVER, who died at Fontarabia in
Spain, married Elizabeth, Daughter to Henry Lord Scroop
of Bolton, and by her had John, his Heir, and three
Daughters; of which, Elizabeth was married first to
Gerald Fitz-Gerald, Earl of Kildare, and secondly to
Sir John Wallop, Kt of the Garter; Eleanor, to Thomas
Grey, Marq. of Dorset; and Margaret was Abbess of
Shaftesbury.

JOHN, who succeeded his Father, married Jane, Daugh-
ter and Heir of Sir John Ewarby, Kt, by Catherine, second
Daughter and Coheir of Sir Hugh Annesley of Maple-
Durham in Oxfordshire, Ancestor of the Earl of Anglesea,
and by her had two Sons, JOHN and Oliver; of which,
the eldest enjoyed his Patrimony at Lydiard; and he mar-
rying Margaret, Daughter to Sir Richard Carew of Bed-
dington in Surry, Kt, by her had three Sons, Nicholas,
William, and John.

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NICHOLAS,

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NICHOLAS, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir Richard Blount of Maple-Durham in the C. of Oxford, and by her had two Sons, John and Oliver, and five Daughters; whereof, Catherine was married to ——— Webb of Redborne in Wilts, Esq; Eleanor, to Sir Thomas Cave of Stanford in the C. of Northampton, Kt; Jane, to ——— Nicholas of Manningford in the C. of Wilts; Dorothy, to ——— Egiok, Esq; and Elizabeth, to Sir Richard St. George, King at Arms: And of the Sons, Sir John, the eldest, continued at Lydiard: But him we leave at present, to say something of his Brother,

Oliver, who studied the Law in the Inns of Court; but, happening into a Quarrel with one Best, Captain of the Guard to Queen Elizabeth, and Champion of England, whom he killed in a Duel, was forced to leave the Kingdom, and served in the Army under the Lord Vere in Flanders, 'till the Queen's Death.

In the Reign of K. James 1, he went into Bohemia, and served in that War, and the Palatinate, until it was subdued by the Emperor, and then he returned to Flanders, and continued some Years in the Service of the States of Holland, against the Archduke of Austria; but, when the Truce happened, he went into France, where he grew acquainted with the Duke of Buckingham, who was then sent to treat of a Marriage for the Prince of Wales with the Daughter of Hen. 4. of France, and a particular Friendship ensued, which lasted as long as they both lived.

When the Duke returned into England, he brought Mr. St. John over with him, and by his Favour procured him, first, to be knighted; and afterwards, by reason of his Descent from an Heir Female of the House of Grandison, he was, on the 3d of June, 1623, the 18th of James 1, created Visc. Grandison of Limerick in Ireland, with Limitation, for Want of Issue Male, to the Issue of Sir Edward Villiers, Kt, (Half-Brother to the aforesaid Duke) whose Son, Sir William Villiers, accordingly enjoyed the Honour, and was Father of Barbara Villiers, Dutchess of Cleveland.

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In the 19th of James 1, he was sent into Ireland, where he had the Honour to command as General, and was some Time Master of the Ordnance, President of Munster, Vice-President of Conaught, and Deputy of that Realm; and on the 21st of May, 1626, was made one of the Privy-Council, and created Baron Tregoze of Highworth in Wilts.

He had also from that King a Grant of the Manors of Battersea and Wandsworth in Surry, and married Joan, Daughter and Heir to Henry Royden of Battersea, Esq; but dying on the 30th of Dec. 1630, in the 70th Year of his Age, and without Issue, his Honours expired with him; and John St. John, his Brother's Son, inherited his Estate: So that now we return to Sir JOHN, his Brother, who remained at Lydiard.

He married Lucy, Daughter and Heir to Sir Walter Hungerford of Farley in Wilts, and by her had an only Son, and six Daughters; of which, Barbara, the eldest, was married to Sir Edward Villiers, Kt, by whom she was Mother of three of the Name of Villiers, all Viscounts; Lucy, to Sir Alan Apsley, Kt, Lieutenant of the Tower of London; Jane, first, to — Ayte, and, secondly, to Sir Charles Pleydell, from whom descended Edmund-Morton Pleydell; Catherine, to Sir Charles Mompesson of Sarum; Anne, to Sir George Ayliff of Greetingham in Wilts; and Eleanor, to Sir William St. John of Heighly in the C. of Glamorgan:

[1st Bart.] And his Son, JOHN, was on 22d of May, 1611, the 9th of James 1, created a Bart. He married Anne, Daughter to Thomas Leighton of Feckingham in Wilts, and by her had seven Sons, and a Daughter of her Name, first married to Francis-Henry Lee, Bart, and, after his Decease, to Henry Wilmet, Earl of Rochester: And of the Sons, which were Oliver, William, Edward, Nicholas, John, Walter, and Henry; William was killed in the Service of Cha. 1, at the Taking of Cirencester, Edward at the Battle of Newbury, and John in the North: Henry married Catherine, Daughter to Oliver St. John,

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Lord Chief-Justice of the Common-Pleas, by whom he had an only Daughter, Anne, who was married to Anthony Bowyer of Camberwell in Surry, Esq; And OLIVER, the eldest, succeeded his Father.

He married Catherine, Daughter and Coheir to Horatio, Lord Vere of Tilbury, and by her had Sir JOHN ST. JOHN, Bart; but, the said Sir John dying unmarried, his Honour and Estate descended to WALTER ST. JOHN, his Uncle, his Father's sixth Brother, who served in Parliament for the Borough of Wotton-Basset, Wiltshire; and, dying on the 3d of July, 1708, in the 87th Year of his Age, was buried in the Church of Battersea.

He married Johanna, another Daughter of the Lord Chief-Justice St. John, and by her had

[1st V.] Sir HENRY ST. JOHN, Bart, his only Son, who, having served in several Parliaments for Wotton-Basset, was, in the 2d of Geo. 1, created Baron of Battersea, and Visc. St. John, as at first mentioned; and a Daughter, Anne, who was the second Wife of Thomas Cholmondeley of Vale-Royal in Cheshire, Esq;

Sir Henry married to his first Wife Mary, Daughter and Coheir to Robert Rich, Earl of Warwick, by whom he had an only Son, named Henry, who, having distinguished himself in the House of Commons (having been chosen for Wotton-Basset, and the C. of Berks) in the Reign of Queen Anne, was by her made Secretary at War, which he resigned in 1708, and two Years after was made Secretary of State, and one of the Privy-Council; and in July, 1712, the 11th Year of that Reign, was created Baron St. John of Tregoeze in Wiltshire, and Visc. Bolingbroke in the C. of Lincoln, with Remainder, for Want of Issue Male, to Sir Henry St. John, Bart, his Father, and the Heirs Male of his Body: But in 1714, the 1st of Geo. 1, those Honours were forfeited; and he died Dec. 15, 1751, in the 79th Year of his Age. He married first Frances, Daughter and Coheir of Sir Henry Winchcomb of Bucklebury in Berks, Bart; and, secondly, Mary Glanville des Champs de Marilly, Niece to the famous Mad. de Maintenon, and Widow of

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of the Marquis de Villette; but had no Issue by either; and this Lady died March 18, 1749-50.

And his Father, the Lord St. John, by his second Lady, Angelica-Magdalena, who died in Aug. 1736, Daughter to George Pellefary, Treasurer-General of the Marines, and Superintendant of all the Ships and Gallies of France under Lewis 14, had three Sons, and a Daughter, Henrietta, married to Robert Knight, Esq; now Lord Luxembourg of the Kingdom of Ireland.

Of the Sons, George, the eldest, who was Secretary to the English Plenipotentiaries in the Congress at Utrecht, died at Venice in 1715. Holles, third Son, died in Oct. 1738, unmarried.

His Lordship, dying in April, 1742, aged near 90, was succeeded (according to the Limitation of the Patent) by

[2d V.] JOHN, his second and only surviving Son, by his last Wife; who, in the first Parliament of his present Majesty, was Member for Wotton-Basset: He married on the 17th of April, 1729, a Daughter of Sir Robert Furness of Waldershare in Kent, Bart: In 1740, he was made Comptroller of the Customs; and, dying in France in Feb. 1748-9, and leaving three Sons and two Daughters, was succeeded in his Honours and Estate by his eldest Son,

[3d V.] FREDERICK, now Lord Visc. St. John, who succeeded his Uncle the Lord Viscount Bolingbroke; and, in September, 1757, was married to Diana, Daughter to Charles late Duke of Marlborough.

A R M S.

Pearl, on a Chief Ruby, two Mulletts pierced, Topaz, a Crescent for Difference.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Mount proper, and therefrom a Faulcon rising, with Bells Gold, and ducally gorged, Ruby.

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S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Eagles with Wings expanded, Topaz, crowned du-
cally Ruby, and upon each Breast a Pair of Horfes Hames,
tied at the Top and Bottom proper, within which is Party
per Pale, Pearl and Ruby.

M O T T O.

Nec quærere nec spernere Honorem.

Chief S E A T S.

At Battersea in the County of Surry, 5 Miles from Rich-
mond, and 3 from London; and at Lydiard-Tregoze in
the County of Wilts, near Wotton-Basset, and 64 Mile
from London.

BOSCAWEN, Viscount FALMOUTH.

VIII. **T**HE Right Honourable Hugh Boscawen, Vis-
count Falmouth, and Baron Boscawen-Rose,
Captain of the Yeomen of the Guard.

Created Baron Boscawen-Rose, and Viscount Falmouth in
the County of Cornwall, June 8, 1720, 6 Geo. I.

This ancient and honourable Family, which for divers
Generations has been seated in Cornwall, deriving their
Name from the Town of Boscawen in the said County, has
produced many eminent and loyal Persons, who, for their
Services to their King and Country, have been greatly
esteemed :

RICHARD BOSCAWEN, Esq; living in the Reign of
Hen. 6, whose Son, JOHN, married Elizabeth, Daughter
to Nicholas Loar, and was succeeded by a Son, JOHN, who
died in 1524, leaving THOMAS, his Son and Heir, six
Months old; from whom descended HUGH BOSCAWEN,
Esq; Lord of the Manor, and several Times Member of
Parliament for Tregony, and also Kt of the Shire for the
C. of Cornwall, 16 Car. 2; and marrying Lady Anne, se-
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cond Daughter to Wentworth Earl of Kildare, by her, who afterwards married Francis Robartes, Esq; and was Mother of the late Earl of Radnor, had two Sons, EDWARD and Hugh: The youngest married Margaret, fourth Daughter of Theophilus, Baron Clinton, and Earl of Lincoln, by whom he had Issue Bridget, his only Daughter and Heir, married to Hugh Fortescue of Filley, Devon, whose Son and Heir, Hugh Fortescue, Esq; became Baron CLINTON, in Right of his Mother and Grandmother, which Barony, upon the Death of the late Earl Clinton, unmarried, returned to the Earl of Lincoln. EDWARD, the eldest Son, who served in Parliament for Truro, was a leading Member in the Reign of K. Cha. 2: He married Jael, Daughter of Sir Francis Godolphin, Kt of the Bath, and Sister to Sidney Earl of Godolphin, by whom he had several Children; of which, Anne was married to Sir John Evelyn of Wotton in Surry, Bart.

[1st V.] HUGH, who in the Reign of Queen Anne was a Member in several Parliaments for Penryn, Truro, and for the C. of Cornwall, and also Lord-Warden of the Stannaries, and Groom of the Bedchamber to George Prince of Denmark, on the 9th of Oct. 1714, was made Comptroller of his Majesty's Household: On the 8th of June, 1720, he was created a Peer, as above, and made one of the Privy-Council; and on the 3d of April, 1724, was appointed Vice-Treasurer of Ireland, &c. which he resigned in April, 1734, and was again made Lord-Warden of the Stannaries, also Captain of St. Maw's Castle.

His Lordship married Charlotte, eldest of the two Daughters and Coheirs to Col. Charles Godfrey, who was formerly Clerk-Comptroller of the Green-Cloth, and Master of the Jewel-Office (by the Lady Arabella Churchill, his Wife, Sister to John Duke of Marlborough) by whom he had Issue eight Sons, and ten Daughters: 1. Hugh, the present Viscount; 2. Charles died young; 3. Edward, one of his Majesty's Most Hon. Privy-Council, Admiral of the Blue, one of the Lords of the Admiralty, General of Marines, and Member in Parliament for Truro, married in Dec.

1742, Frances, Daughter of William-Evelyn Glanville of St. Clere in Kent, Esq; by whom he has Issue Edward-Hugh, Frances, Elizabeth, William-Glanville, and several other Children. Among many other signal Services to his Country, he commanded in chief in the Expedition against Cape Breton; and, in Conjunction with General Amherst, took the important Fortrefs of Louisbourg, in July, 1758, from the French; and, falling in with the French Fleet, commanded by M. de la Clue, in August, 1759, he took three Ships of the Line, and burnt two. 4. George, Major-General, Deputy-Governor of the Islands of Scilly, and Member of Parliament for Penryn, who married Miss Trevor in Feb. 1742-3, by whom he has had two Sons and a Daughter: 5. John, Colonel of a Regiment of Foot, and Member of Parliament for Truro, married, in Dec. 1748, to Miss Surman, by whom he had a Son, born Jan. 7, 1749, of whom she died in Childbed the 18th: 6. William-Frederick, who died unmarried: 7. Henry died young: 8. Nicholas, D. D. married to ———, Daughter of ——— Woodward, and Relict of ——— Hatton: 9. Charlotte, married to Henry Moor, Earl of Drogheda in Ireland, whom she survived, and died April 3, 1735: 10. Anne, married to Sir Cecil Bishopp, Bart, and since deceased: 11. Mary, married to John Evelyn, Esq; Son of Sir John above-mentioned, and is also deceased: 12. Lucy, married to Charles Frederick, Esq; Member of Parliament for Shoreham: 13. Elizabeth; 14. Diana; 15. Harriot; 16. Arabella; 17. Eleanor; and, 18. Catherine; all six died young and unmarried. And his Lordship, dying Oct. 25, 1734, was succeeded by his eldest Son, [2d V.] HUGH, who in July, 1733, married a Daughter of Sir Philip Meadows, Knight-Marshal; but has no Issue. In March, 1743-4, his Lordship was made Lord-Warden of the Stannaries, which he afterwards resigned, and was made Captain of the Yeomen of the Guard. On the 8th of March, 1755, he was promoted to the Rank of a Major-General in the Army; and, on the 15th of Dec. 1756, was sworn of his Majesty's Privy-Council, and farther

Boscawen, Viscount Falmouth.

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Farther advanced to the Rank of Lieutenant-General, Feb.
13, 1759.

A R M S.

Ermine, a Rose Ruby, barbed and seeded proper.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Boar passant, Ruby, armed, bristled,
and unguled Gold.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Sea-Lions Pearl, Guty de Larmes, i. e. spotted
with blue Drops.

M O T T O.

In Cælo Quies.

Chief S E A T.

At Tregothan in the County of Cornwall, 3 Miles from
Truro, and 212 from London.

BYNG, Viscount TORRINGTON.

IX. **T**HE Right Honourable George Byng, Viscount
Torrington, Baron Byng of Southill, and Baronet.
Created Baronet, Nov. 15, 1715, 2 Geo. 1; and Baron
Byng of Southill in the County of Bedford, and Viscount
Torrington in the County of Devon, Sept. 9, 1721, the
7th of that Reign.

Of this ancient Family, which was long seated at Wro-
tham in Kent, was JOHN BYNG, the Son of Thomas,
who, in the Year 1535, marrying Agnes, Daughter to
—— Spencer of Essex, by her had two Sons and three
Daughters.

Of the Sons, which were ROBERT and Thomas, the
eldest succeeded his Father, and was High-Sheriff of Kent,
the 34th of Eliz. And

Thomas,

Thomas, the youngest, became seated at Granchester in the C. of Cambridge: He married Catherine, Daughter to ——— Randolph, Esq; by whom he had a Son, Henry, who was Serjeant at Law, and Council to the University of Cambridge; and he, marrying Catherine, Daughter to Thomas Clench of Holbrook in Suffolk, Esq; Son to the Judge of that Name, in the Reign of Q. Eliz. by her had several Children. Of his Sons, Thomas, the eldest, was Hebrew Professor, and Master of Corpus Christi College in Cambridge, by special Recommendation of K. James I, and was afterwards Vice-Chancellor of that University: Henry, the second Son, married Elizabeth, eldest Daughter and Coheir to Arthur Coke, Esq; Son to Sir Edward Coke, Lord Chief-Justice, by the Lady Bridget Paston; and the Wife of the said Arthur was Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to Sir George Waldegrave of Hitcham in Suffolk, Kt: John, the third Son, married Grace, Daughter and Coheir to Thomas Goad, LL.D. Regius Professor of the Civil Law in the University of Cambridge: And Edward, the fifth Son, married the second Daughter and Coheir to Arthur Coke above-named: But, of all these, the Issue of John only now remains: So that we return to

Robert Byng, who was Sheriff of Kent in the 34th of Eliz. and married to his first Wife Frances, Daughter and Heir to Richard Hill, Esq; and by her had three Sons; of which, George, the eldest, succeeded at Wrotham; and John and Francis died without Issue: And by his second Wife, the Daughter of William Maynard, Esq; he had William Byng, Governor of Deal-Castle, and a Daughter, Anne, married to David Polhill of Otford in Kent, Esq;

GEORGE, who succeeded, was chosen Member of Parliament for Rochester in the 26th of Eliz. and for the Port of Dover the first of James I; and marrying Jane, Daughter to William Cromer of Tunstall in Kent, Esq; by her had a Son of his Name, and four Daughters; whereof, Elizabeth, the eldest, was married to Thomas Polhill of Wrotham, Esq; and

GEORGE,

GEORGE, her Brother, in 1616, succeeded his Father. He married Catherine, Daughter to Sir John Hewet of Headly-Hall in the C. of York, Bart, (which Family has since been seated at Waersly in the C. of Huntingdon) by whom he had John, his Heir, and a Daughter, Elizabeth, married to ——— Man of Kelmscot in the C. of Oxford, Esq; But the said

JOHN, her Brother, conveying away Wrotham, was the last of this Family there. He married Philadelphia, Daughter to ——— Johnson of Loans in Surry, and by her left several Children; of which,

[1st V.] GEORGE, the eldest, was bred up in the Sea-Service. In 1705 he was elected to Parliament for Great Bedwin and Plymouth, and made his Election for the latter, and served many Years in Parliament for Plymouth. In 1708 he commanded the British Fleet off of Scotland; and in the same Year had the Honour of conducting the Queen of Portugal to Lisbon; and in 1709 he was made one of the Lords of the Admiralty.

On the 15th of Nov. 1715, he was created a Bart; and in 1718, when he was Admiral and Commander in Chief of the British Fleet, and went into the Mediterranean, he was Plenipotentiary to all the Princes and States of Italy, and likewise to the Emperor of Morocco; and on his Return in 1720, in Consideration of his signal Services there, he was made Rear-Admiral of Great-Britain, and one of the Privy-Council.

On the 6th of Oct. 1720, he was appointed Treasurer of the Navy; and on the 9th of Sept. 1721, was created Baron Byng of Southill and Viscount Torrington. On the 27th of May, 1725, he was elected a Kt of the Bath; and on the 2d of Aug. 1727, he was made first Lord of the Admiralty; and on the 1st of Dec. following was appointed Admiral and Commander in Chief of his Majesty's Fleet.

This noble Lord married in 1691 Margaret, Daughter to James Master of East-Langden in Kent, Esq; by Joice his Wife, Daughter to Sir Christopher Turner of Milton in

in the C. of Bedford, Kt, one of the Barons of the Exchequer, and by her, who died April 1, 1756, aged 87, had eleven Sons and four Daughters: Of the latter, Sarah only survived him: She married John Osborne of Chicklands in the C. of Bedford, Esq; by whom he had several Children; but the only one living is the present Sir Danvers Osborne, Bart.

The Sons, who survived him, were Pattee, George, Robert, John, and Edward: The latter, on the 17th of Nov. 1730, was married to Mary, Daughter of John Bramston of Skreens in Essex, Esq; and died in 1756: The unfortunate John, Vice-Admiral of the Red, and Member of Parliament for Rochester, was shot, agreeable to the Sentence of a Court-Martial, on board his Majesty's Ship the Monarque, in Portsmouth-Harbour, March 14, 1757: Robert, on the 24th of Feb. 1727-8, was chosen Member of Parliament for Plymouth, and in May, 1731, was made a Commissioner of the Navy; on Dec. 19, 1734, he married Elizabeth, Daughter of Jonathan Forward, Esq; in May, 1739, he was made Governor of Barbadoes, and died there in Oct. 1740; leaving three Sons, George, Robert, and John: George was born in 1701; in 1719 he served as a Voluntier under Count Mercy, General of the Imperial Army in Sicily, and was dangerously wounded there at the Battle of Francavilla.

[2d V.] PATTEE, the eldest, who on the 18th of April, 1724, was appointed Treasurer of the Navy, had the same renewed to him on the 6th of Sept. 1727, by George 2.

In June, 1724, he married the Lady Charlotte Montagu, fourth and youngest Daughter of Charles Duke of Manchester, and by her, who died Sept. 14, 1759, he had a Daughter, Caroline, and a Son, George, who died on the 15th of May, 1730.

In May, 1732, he was appointed one of his Majesty's Privy-Council; and by his Father's Death, on the 13th of January following, he succeeded to the Honour of Viscount Torrington.

In April, 1734, he was appointed Joint Vice-Treasurer and Paymaster-General of Ireland, with Richard Edgumbe, Esq; now Lord Edgumbe. In Dec. 1735, his Lady was delivered of another Son, since deceased, and in April following was made a Lady of the Bedchamber to the Princess of Wales.

He was twice chosen Member of Parliament for Plymouth, and once for the C. of Bedford. Upon his Resignation of the Office of Vice-Treasurer, &c. of Ireland, he was appointed Captain of the Yeomen of his Majesty's Guard, in which Post he died, Jan. 23, 1746-7, without Issue Male, and was succeeded in his Honours by his Brother,

[3d V.] GEORGE, who on the 10th of Oct. following was constituted Major-General of his Majesty's Forces, and in Aug. 1749, Colonel of a Regiment of Foot. He married, in 1736, Elizabeth, Daughter of ——— Daniel, Esq; Son of Sir Peter Daniel, Kt, by which Lady, who died March 17, 1759, he had two Sons, George and John; and, dying April 7, 1750, was succeeded by his eldest Son,

[4th V.] GEORGE, now Visc. Torrington.

A R M S.

Quarterly, Diamond and Pearl, in the first a Lion rampant of the second.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, an Antelope passant Ermine, his Tail extended, and his Horns, Main, Tufts, and Hoofs, Topaz.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the Dexter Side, an Antelope Ermine, horned, &c. as the Crest, standing on a Ship-Gun, proper. On the Sinister, a Sea-Horse of the last, finned Topaz, on a like Gun.

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Chief S E A T.

At Southill in the County of Bedford, 7 Miles from that Town, 3 from Biggleswade, and 40 from London.

FITZGERALD, Viscount LEINSTER.

X. **T**HE Right Honourable James Fitzgerald, Viscount Leinster of Taplow; also Earl of Kildare, and Baron Ophaley, Premier Earl and Baron of the Kingdom of Ireland.

Created Viscount Leinster of Taplow in Buckinghamshire, Feb. 28, 1746-7, 20 Geo. 2.

The Descent of this noble Family the Reader may find, under the Title of Fitzgerald Earl of KILDARE, in the Irish Compendium: Therefore, I shall only add, that, his Lordship having on the 7th of Feb. 1746-7, married the Lady Emilia, Daughter of Charles late Duke of Richmond, his Majesty, taking into Consideration his great and noble Descent, was pleased to create him a Peer of Great-Britain as above.

Her Ladyship was delivered of a Son, George Lord Ophaley, Jan. 15, 1747-8, and another Son, Mar. 8, 1748-9.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th Pearl, a Saltire Ruby, for Fitzgerald; 2d and 3d, Sapphire, a Chevron Ermine between Chaplets, Topaz, for Clotworthy.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Monkey at Gaze, proper, environed about the Middle, and chained, Topaz,

S U P.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Monkeys environed and chained, as the Crest.

M O T T O.

Crom a Boo.

Chief S E A T S.

In the City of Dublin, and at Cartown in the County of Kildare, 10 Miles from Dublin.

BOUVERIE, Viscount FOLKSTONE.

XI. **T**HE Right Honourable Jacob Bouverie, Viscount Folkstone, Baron Longford, and Baronet.

Created Baronet, Feb. 19, 1713-14; and Baron of Longford in the County of Wilts, also Viscount Folkstone in the County of Kent, June 29, 1747.

The first of this Family, who settled in England, was LAURENCE DES BOUVERIES, a younger Son of Le Sieur des Bouveries, of the Chateau des Bouveries, near Lille in Flanders, where the eldest Branch of this Family at present enjoys a considerable Estate. He, flying from thence on Account of his Religion, settled at Canterbury, where he had an only Son, EDWARD, who died in 1625; who also had a Son, EDWARD, born in 1621, an eminent Turkey Merchant in London, who acquired a very great Fortune, and whose eldest Son, WILLIAM, was created a Bart, Feb. 19, 1713. He was likewise a very eminent Turkey Merchant, and added greatly to his paternal Fortune. He married first Mary, Daughter of James Edwards of London, Esq; by whom he had Issue Edward, who died young: His second Wife was Anne, Daughter of David Urry, of London, Esq; by whom he had several Children who died young, and three Sons and two Daughters who survived him, viz. 1. Sir EDWARD, his Successor; 2. Sir JACOB, who succeeded his Brother, and altered his Name,
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by Act of Parliament, from *Des Bouveries* to *Bouverie*; 3. Christopher, who died unmarried; 4. Jane, married to John-Allen Pulsey of Pulsey in Berkshire, Esq; died the 10th of Jan. 1742, without Issue; and, 5. Anne, unmarried.

Sir William died May 19, 1717, and his Lady, June 5, 1739. ——— Sir Edward represented the Town of Shaftsbury in several Parliaments: He married Mary, Daughter and Coheir of John Smith of Beaufort-Buildings, London, Esq; and, dying without Issue in Nov. 1736, was succeeded by his only Brother,

[1st V.] Sir JACOB BOUVERIE, now Visc. Folkstone. His Lordship served in the last Parliament for the City of Salisbury; and his Majesty, upon the Dissolution thereof, was pleased to create him Baron of Longford in the C. of Wilts, and Visc. Folkstone in Kent, by Letters Patent, dated June 29, 1747. He married, first, Mary, Daughter and sole Heir of Bartholomew Clarke of Roehampton in the C. of Surry, Esq; by whom he had several Children who died young, besides two Sons and four Daughters, now living, William, Edward, Anne, Mary married March 16, 1759, to Anthony the present Earl of Shaftsbury, Charlotte, and Harriot: Lady Bouverie died Nov. 15, 1739. His Lordship married, secondly, in April, 1741, Elizabeth, eldest Daughter of Robert late Lord Romney, by whom he has had two Sons, Jacob, who died in the third Year of his Age, and Philip, born Oct. 8, 1746, now living.

William, the eldest Son, is now Representative in Parliament for Salisbury: He married, first, in Jan. 1747-8, Harriot, the only Child of Sir Mark-Stewart Pleydell of Colehill in Berks, Bart; who died in 1750, leaving Issue a Son, born in March, 1748-9: He married, secondly, in Sept. 1751, Miss Allen, by whom he has Issue William-Henry, born 30th October, 1752, and Bartholomew, born October 29, 1753.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th, Party per Fess, Topaz and Pearl;
an Eagle displayed with two Heads, Diamond; 2d and 3d, a
Chevron engrailed, between three Martlets, Ermine.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Demy Eagle displayed, Diamond, beaked,
and ducally gorged, Topaz, on his Breast a Cross Croset,
Topaz and Pearl.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On each Side an Eagle regardant, Diamond, gorged with a
Ducal Coronet, charged on the Breast with a Cross Croset,
Pearl.

M O T T O.

Patria cara, carior Libertas.

Chief S E A T.

At Longford in Wilts, 3 Miles from Salisbury, and 80
from London.





O F
B I S H O P S.

OF this Dignity (whose Name comes from the *Saxon* Word *Bischoep*, and signifies Superintendent, or Overseer) we have in England *twenty-six*, whereof, two (viz. Canterbury and York) are stiled Archbishops, and have the Government of all the Churches of England, the other Bishops being their Suffragans.

The Archbishop of Canterbury has Power to summon the Archbishop of York, with the Bishops of his Province, to a National Synod or Convocation; and, next to the Royal Family, precedes not only all Dukes, but all the great Officers of the Crown; nor does any, except the Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper, come between him and the Archbishop of York.

To the Archbishop of Canterbury it properly belongs to crown the King, to consecrate a new-made Bishop, and to call Provincial Synods, according to the King's Writ to him directed for that Purpose.

The Bishop of London is accounted his Provincial Dean, the Bishop of Winchester his Sub-Dean, the Bishop of Lincoln his Chancellor, and the Bishop of Rochester his Chaplain.

He is Primate of *all* England, and Metropolitan; and in writing and speaking to him is given the Title of Grace (as is to a Duke) and Most Reverend Father in God.

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The Archbishop of York, who is Primate of England, and Metropolitan of his Province, hath the Honour to crown the Queen Consort, and to be her Chaplain, and is stiled as the Archbishop of Canterbury.

Next to the Archbishops in the Episcopal College, the Bishops of London, Durham, and Winchester, have always the Precedency, by a Statute made in 1530 the 21st of Hen. 8; and all other Bishops take Place according to the Priority of their Consecration.

The Bishop of London precedes, as being Bishop of the Capital City of England, and Provincial Dean of Canterbury.

The Bishop of Durham, as Count Palatine and Earl of Sedberg. And,

The Bishop of Winchester, as Prelate of the Most Noble Order of the Garter.

All Bishops of England (except the Bishop of Man) are Lords of Parliament, and sit in the House on the King's right Hand.

They precede all under the Degree of Viscounts, and are called, The Lords Spiritual: And as the two Archbishops are stiled Most Reverend, and have the Title of Grace, (as above) so the other Bishops are called Right Reverend, and have the Title of Lordship given them.

The Robe, which a Bishop wears in Parliament, is of fine Scarlet Cloth, having a long Train, and is doubled on the Shoulders with Miniver, edged with White Ermine, as is the Bosom; and when he goes to the House of Lords, (and the Sovereign there) his Train is supported by four Chaplains, to the Door of that House; but then, by a red Ribbon, fixed to the End of the Train, and tied in a Loop, he supports it himself, the Loop being over his right Wrist, and in that Form he takes his Seat, having a four-square Cap on his Head, as in Page 87, of the Cuts, is exactly depicted.

The Persons that now enjoy the Dignity of Bishop in this Kingdom are as follows:

CANTERBURY.

I. **T**HE Most Reverend Dr. Thomas Secker, Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, by Divine Providence, Primate of all England, and Metropolitan, one of his Majesty's Privy-Council, one of the Governors of the Charter-house, one of the Society for propagating the Gospel in foreign Parts, and President of the Corporation of the Sons of the Clergy.

He was consecrated Bishop of Bristol in 1734, in the room of Dr. Cecil, translated; translated to the See of Oxford in 1737, in the room of Dr. Potter, translated; and promoted to the See of Canterbury in 1758, in the room of Dr. Hutton, deceased.

A R M S.

Sapphire, a Pastoral Staff in Pale, ensigned with a Cross pattée, Topaz, surmounted by a Pall Silver, edged and fringed Gold, charged with four Crosses pattée fitchy, Diamond.

Chief S E A T S.

At Lambeth and Croydon, both in the County of Surry.

Y O R K.

II. **T**HE Most Reverend Dr. John Gilbert, Lord Archbishop of York, by Divine Permission, Primate of England, and Metropolitan of his Province, Lord High Almoner to his Majesty, one of his Majesty's Privy-Council, and one of the Society for propagating the Gospel in foreign Parts.

He was made Bishop of Landaff in 1740, in the room of Dr. Mawson, translated; and, in 1748, was translated to the See of Salisbury in the room of Dr. Sherlock, translated to the See of London; and, in 1757, he was promoted

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to the See of York, in the room of Dr. Hutton, translated to the See of Canterbury.

A R M S.

Ruby, two Keys in Saltire, Pearl, in Chief an Imperial Crown, Gold.

Chief S E A T.

At Bishop's Thorp in the County of York.

L O N D O N.

III. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. Thomas Sherlock, Lord Bishop of London, one of his Majesty's Privy-Council, Dean of the Chapel-Royal, one of the Governors of the Charter-house, and one of the Commissioners for building fifty new Churches.

He was consecrated Bishop of Bangor, Febr. 4, 1728-9, (in the room of Dr. William Baker, promoted to the See of Norwich) being before Dean of Chichester; and, in 1734, was translated to the See of Sarum, in the room of Dr. Benjamin Hoadley, promoted to the See of Winchester; and from thence translated to the See of London, in Oct. 1748, in the room of Dr. Gibson, deceased.

A R M S.

Ruby, two Swords in Saltire, Pearl, the Pomels and Hilts, Gold.

Chief S E A T.

At Fulham, in the County of Middlesex.

D U R H A M.

IV. **T**HE Right Reverend and Honourable Richard Trevor, D. D. Lord Bishop of Durham.

He was consecrated Bishop of St. David's, April 1, 1744, in the room of Dr. Willes, who was translated to the See of Bath and Wells; and from thence translated to the See of Durham, Oct. 2, 1752, being before one of the Canons of Christ-Church, and one of his Majesty's Chaplains.

A R M S.

Sapphire, a Cross Topaz, between four Lions rampant, Pearl.

Chief S E A T S.

At Durham-Palace, and Auckland-Castle in the Bishoprick of Durham.

WINCHESTER.

THE Right Reverend Dr. Benjamin Hoadley, Lord Bishop of Winchester, Prelate of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, and one of the Commissioners for building fifty new Churches.

He was consecrated Bishop of Bangor, Mar. 18, 1715-16, the second of George I, in the room of Dr. John Evans, (translated to the See of Meath in Ireland, upon the Death of Dr. William Moreton) being before Rector of St. Peter Poor in Broad-Street, and Stretham in Surry. On the 7th of Nov. 1721, he was translated to the See of Hereford, in the room of Dr. Philip Blisse, deceased. From thence, Oct. 29, 1723, he was promoted to Salisbury, in the room of Dr. Richard Willis, translated to the See of Winchester; and, Sept. 26, 1734, upon the Death of the latter, he was translated to this See.

A R M S.

Ruby, a Sword in Bend sinister, Pearl, the Pomel and Hilt Topaz, interposed between two Keys adorsed in Bend dexter, the uppermost Silver, the other Gold.

Chief

Chief SEATS.

At Farnham-Castle in the County of Surry, Wolvesey-House near Winchester, and Chelsea-House in Surry.

Note, Though Chelsea is in Middlesex, yet the Bishop's Seat is by Act of Parliament a Part of Surry, and in the Diocese of Winchester.

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VI. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. Matthias Mawson, Lord Bishop of Ely.

He was consecrated Bishop of Landaff in 1738, in the room of Dr. Harris, deceased; in 1740, translated to the See of Chichester in the room of Dr. Hare, deceased; and, in 1754, translated to the See of Ely in the room of Dr. Gooch, deceased.

ARMS.

Ruby, three Ducal Coronets, Topaz.

Chief SEATS.

Ely-House, Holborn; and Ely-Palace, Cambridge.

BATH and WELLS.

VII. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. Edward Willes, Lord Bishop of Bath and Wells.

He was consecrated Bishop of St. David's, Jan. 2, 1742, (in the room of Dr. Nicholas Clagget, who was translated to Exeter) and confirmed Bishop of this See, Dec. 12, 1743, (in room of Dr. John Wynne, deceased;) being before Dean of Lincoln, one of the Prebendaries of Westminster-Abby, and Rector of St. John the Evangelist in Westminster.

A R M S.

Sapphire, a Saltire quarterly quartered, Topaz and Pearl.

Chief S E A T S.

At Wells-Palace, and Banwell in the County of Somerset.

L I N C O L N.

VIII. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. John Thomas, Lord Bishop of Lincoln.

He was elected (but not consecrated) Bishop of St. Asaph, in Nov. 1743, (in the room of Dr. Maddox, translated to the See of Worcester,) and consecrated Bishop of this See, April 1, 1744, in the room of Dr. Reynolds, deceased.

A R M S.

Ruby, two Lions passant-guardant, in Pale, Topaz, on a Chief Sapphire, the Virgin Mary sitting on a Tomb-Stone, with a Crown on her Head, holding her Babe in her right Arm, and a Sceptre in her left Hand, Gold.

Chief S E A T S.

At Bugden in the County of Huntingdon, and Lincoln-Palace in Lincoln.

H E R E F O R D.

IX. **T**HE Right Reverend and Right Honourable Lord James Beauclerk, D. D. Bishop of Hereford.

He was promoted to the See of Hereford, in April 1746, in the room of Dr. Egerton, deceased.

A R M S.

A R M S.

Ruby, three Leopards Faces reversed, jessant, as many
Fleurs de Lis, Topaz.

Chief S E A T S.

At Hereford-Palace in Hereford, and Whitburn in the
same County.

E X E T E R.

X. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. George Lavington,
Lord Bishop of Exeter, and one of the Residen-
tiaries of St. Paul's, London.

He was promoted to the See of Exeter in Dec. 1746,
in the room of Dr. Clagget, deceased.

A R M S.

Ruby, a Sword erect in Pale, Pearl, the Pomel and Hilt
Topaz, surmounted by two Keys in Saltire, Gold.

Chief S E A T.

At Exeter-Palace in that City.

C A R L I S L E.

XI. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. Richard Osbaldeston,
Lord Bishop of Carlisle.

He was promoted to this See, in Aug. 1747, in the
room of Sir George Fleming, Bart, deceased.

A R M S.

Pearl, on a Cross Diamond, a Mitre with Labels, Gold.

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Chief SEAT.

At Rose-Castle in Cumberland.

SALISBURY.

XII. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. John Thomas, Lord Bishop of Salisbury, Chancellor of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, and Clerk of the Closet to his Majesty.

He was consecrated Bishop of Peterborough in 1747 (in the room of Dr. Clavering, deceased;) from thence he was translated, in 1757, to the See of Sarum, in the room of Dr. Gilbert, promoted to the See of York.

A R M S.

Sapphire, the Virgin Mary crowned, holding her Babe in her right Arm, and a Scepter in her left Hand, all Gold.

Chief SEAT.

At Salisbury-Palace in the County of Wilts.

ROCHESTER.

XIII. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. Zach. Pearce, Lord Bishop of Rochester, Dean of Westminster, and of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, and one of the Society for propagating the Gospel in foreign Parts.

He was consecrated Bishop of Bangor in 1747, (in the room of Dr. Hutton, translated;) and, in 1756, translated to the See of Rochester in the room of Dr. Wilcox, deceased.

A R M S.

Pearl, on a Saltire, Ruby, an Escallop Shell, Topaz.

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Chief SEAT.

At Bromley-House in Kent.

ST. ASAPH.

- XIV. **T**HE Right Reverend and Honourable Dr. Robert Drummond, Lord Bishop of St. Asaph.
Promoted to this See in April, 1748, in the room of Dr. Lisle, translated to the See of Norwich.

A R M S.

Diamond, a Key in Bend dexter, surmounted by a Crozier in Bend sinister, both Topaz.

Chief SEAT.

At St. Asaph, in the County of Flint.

NORWICH.

- XV. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. Thomas Hayter, Lord Bishop of Norwich.
Promoted to this See, in Oct. 1749, in the room of Dr. Lisle, deceased.

A R M S.

Sapphire, three Mitres, with their Labels, Topaz.

Chief SEATS.

At Norwich-Palace, and Ludlam-Hall in the County of Norfolk.

LITCH.

LITCHFIELD and COVENTRY.

XVI. **T**HE Right Reverend and Honourable Frederick Cornwallis, D. D. Lord Bishop of Litchfield and Coventry.

He was promoted to the See of Litchfield and Coventry, in Jan. 1749-50, in the room of Dr. Richard Smalbroke, deceased.

A R M S.

Party per Pale, Ruby and Pearl, a Cross potent; Quadrant in the Center, between four Crosses pattée, counter-changed.

Chief S E A T S.

At Litchfield-Close, and Eccleshall-Castle, in the County of Stafford.

C H E S T E R.

XVII. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. Edmund Keene, Lord Bishop of Chester.

He was promoted to this See in March, 1752, in the room of Dr. Samuel Peploe, deceased.

A R M S.

Ruby, three Mitres, with their Labels, Topaz.

Chief S E A T.

At Chester-Palace in that City.

W O R C E S T E R.

XVIII. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. James Johnson, Lord Bishop of Worcester.

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He was consecrated Bishop of Gloucester, October 24, 1752, in the room of Dr. Benson, deceased; and was translated to this See in Nov. 1759, in the room of Dr. Maddox, deceased.

A R M S.

Pearl, ten Torteauxes, 4, 3, 2, and 1.

Chief S E A T S.

At Worcester-Place, and Hartleberry-Castle in the County of Worcester.

S T. D A V I D's.

XIX. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. Anthony Ellis, Lord Bishop of St. David's.

He was promoted to this See, Oct. 24, 1752, in the room of the Honourable Dr. Richard Trevor, translated to the See of Durham.

A R M S.

Diamond, on a Cross Topaz, five Cinquefoils of the Field.

Chief S E A T.

At Abergwilly, near Carmarthen.

C H I C H E S T E R.

XX. **T**HE Right Reverend Fr. William Ashburnham, Bart, Lord Bishop of Chichester.

In 1754 his Lordship was consecrated Bishop of this See, in the room of Dr. Mawson, translated to the See of Ely.

A R M S.

A R M S.

Sapphire, Prester John sitting on a Tombstone, with a Crown on his Head, and Glory, Topaz, his right Hand elevated, and holding in his left an open Book Pearl, with a Sword cross his Mouth, Ruby.

Chief SEAT.

At Chichester-Palace in the County of Suffex.

L A N D A F F.

XXI. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. Richard Newcome, Lord Bishop of Landaff.

He was promoted to this See in March, 1755, in the room of Dr. Cresset, deceased.

A R M S.

Diamond, two Crofiers in Saltire, the dexter, Topaz, surmounting the sinister, Pearl; on a Chief Sapphire, three Mitres, with their Labels, Gold.

Chief SEATS.

At Mathorn in the County of Monmouth, and Landaff-Palace in the County of Glamorgan.

O X F O R D.

XXII. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. John Hume, Lord Bishop of Oxford, and Dean of St. Paul's.

He was consecrated Bishop of Bristol in 1756, in the room of Dr. Conybeare, deceased; and was translated to this See in 1758, on the Promotion of Dr. Secker to the See of Canterbury.

A R M S.

A R M S.

Diamond, a Bar Pearl, between three Ladies Heads couped at the Breast, arrayed and veiled in White, crowned Topaz, in Chief; and an Ox of the second, passing over a Ford in Base, proper, armed and unguled, Gold.

Chief S E A T.

At Cuddesden in the County of Oxford.

B A N G O R.

XXIII. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. John Egerton,
Lord Bishop of Bangor.

Promoted to this See, in 1756, in the room of Dr. Pearce, translated.

A R M S.

Ruby, a Bend Topaz, Guty de Poix, between two Mulletts pierced, Pearl.

Chief S E A T.

At Bangor-Palace in Carnarvon.

P E T E R B O R O U G H.

XXIV. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. Richard Terrick,
Lord Bishop of Peterborough.

He was promoted to this See in 1757, in the room of Dr. Thomas, translated.

A R M S.

Ruby, two Keys in Saltire, between four Cross Crosets fitchy, Gold.

Chief

Chief SEATS.

At Peterborough-Palace, and Caſtor in the County of Northampton.

BRISTOL.

XXV. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. Philip Yonge,
Lord Biſhop of Briſtol.

He was promoted to the See of Briſtol in 1758, in the room of Dr. Hume, translated.

A R M S.

Diamond, three Ducal Coronets in Pale, Topaz.

Chief SEAT.

At Briſtol-Palace in that City.

GLOUCESTER.

XXVI. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. William Warburton,
Lord Biſhop of Glouceſter.

He was promoted to this See, in Dec. 1759, in the room of Dr. Johnſon, translated.

A R M S.

Sapphire, two Keys in Saltire, Topaz.

Chief SEAT.

At Glouceſter-Palace in that City.

SODOR and MAN.

XXVII. **T**HE Right Reverend Dr. Mark Hildeſley,
Biſhop of Sodor and Man,

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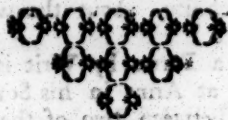
He was consecrated Bishop of the Isle of Man in 1755, in the room of Dr. Wilson, deceased.

The Sovereignty of the Isle of Man was given to the Family of Stanley (afterwards Earls of Derby) in the Year 1403, by King Henry 4; from whom it descended to the Duke of Athol, as likewise the Barony of Strange, upon the Decease of the last Earl of Derby.

The Bishop of this Isle has no Seat in Parliament, because he holds not his Bishoprick immediately of the Crown, but is elected by the People, and the Lord of the Isle, who presents him to the King for his Royal Approbation; after which he is consecrated by the Archbishop of York, and has the highest Seat in the Lower House of Convocation.

A R M S.

Upon three Ascents, the Virgin Mary standing with her Arms distended, between two Pillars, on the dexter whereof, a Church: In Base the ancient Arms of Man, being Legs conjoined, &c. as in the Lord Strange's Coat.





O F B A R O N S.

THIS Dignity, which is by Writ and Patent, and is next to a Bishop, (being Temporal) had anciently the Name of Vavafor, which by the Saxons was changed into Thane, and by the Normans to Baron.

A Baron by Writ is he unto whom a Writ of Summons in the Name of the King is directed, to come to the Parliament appointed to be holden at a certain Time and Place, and there to treat and advise with his Majesty, the Prelates, and Nobility, about the weighty Affairs of the Nation.

The Ceremony of a Baron by Writ is this : He is first brought by the King at Arms in his Sovereign's Coat, to the Lord Chancellor, between two of the youngest Barons, who bear the Robe of a Baron ; there he shews his Prescript, which the Chancellor reads, then congratulates him as a Baron, and invests him with the Robe ; and the Writ being delivered to the Clerk of the Parliament, the Baron is shewed to the Barons by the said King of Arms, and placed in their House ; and from thence is this Title allowed him as hereditary, to him and his Heirs.

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The first Institutor of a Baron by Patent, was King Ric. 2, who, in the Year 1382, the 11th of his Reign, created John de Beauchamp of Holt-Castle, and Steward of the Household, Baron of Kederminster, to him and the Heirs Male of his Body, and invested him with a Mantle and Cap, differing from a Viscount's, as follows :

A Viscount's Robe (which he wears in Parliament, and is a fine Scarlet Cloth, lined with white Taffata) has three Guards of Fur on the Right Shoulder, and two on the Left, with a Gold Lace above each Guard; and a Baron has but two Guards, and Laces on each Shoulder; neither has his Coronation-Robe (which is of Crimson Velvet, lined as before) but two Rows of Spots on each Shoulder; whereas a Viscount's has three on the Right and two on the Left; an Earl three on each; a Marquis four on the Right, and three on the Left; and a Duke four on each.

His Cap is the same with that of a Viscount, Earl, &c. but his Coronet, which was given by King Ch. 2, (a Baron not using any before that Reign) is different from all other, the Dukes having only Leaves; the Marquises, Leaves and Pearls of equal Height; the Earls have Pearls on Spires, much higher than the Leaves; the Viscounts, only Pearls set close together, on the Chaplet or Rim; and the Barons, but six Pearls on the Rim, and at equal Distance.

The Title of a Baron is Right Honourable; but by the King or Queen is usually stiled, Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved; and when of the Privy-Council, then with the Addition of Counsellor.

NEVIL, Lord ABERGAVENNY

THE Right Honourable George Nevil, Lord Abergavenny, Premier Baron of England, Baron by Tenure of the Castle of Abergavenny, in Right of his Wife, 27 Henry 6, 1448, Lord-Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the County of Suffex.

Summoned to Parliament as Baron of Abergavenny in the County of Monmouth, Sept. 5, 1451, the 29th of Hen. 6; but took Place, June 23, 1495, the 23d of Edw. 1.

Of this ancient and noble Family, which is said to derive their Descent from Gilbert de Nevil, a Norman, who was Admiral to William the Conqueror, when he came into England, was Ralph Nevil, Earl of Westmoreland, whose fourth Son,

[1st Ld.] EDWARD, marrying Elizabeth, sole Daughter and Heir to Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Worcester, Son of William Beauchamp, Lord Abergavenny, by her, in the 29th of Henry 6, obtained Livery of the Castle of Abergavenny, and had Summons to Parliament as above: He married, secondly, Catherine, Daughter of Sir Robert Howard, Kt, and Sister to John the first Duke of Norfolk; for which Marriage they were both excommunicated, in Regard they had carnal Copulation together in the Lifetime of his first Wife, and likewise for that he was of too near Kindred to her; but at length Pope Nicholas 5 absolved them, and gave them a Dispensation, dated at Rome, October 15, 1448: By this Lady he had three Daughters; Margaret, married to John Brook, Lord Cobham; Catherine, to Robert Tanfield; and Anne, to the Lord Strange; also three Sons, who died young. By Elizabeth, his first Wife, he had two Sons; Richard, who died in his Father's Life-time, and

[2d Ld.] Sir GEORGE NEVIL, Kt, his Heir; who, in the 5th of Henry 7, was one of the chief in the Army sent over to Calais, in Aid of Maximilian the Emperor against the French; and by Margaret, Daughter and Heir of Sir Hugh Feane, Kt, had five Sons and two Daughters; of which, Elizabeth, the eldest, was married to Sir Edward Berkeley, Kt, and Jane, to Sir Henry Pole, Lord Montacute; and of the Sons, which were George, William, Edward, Thomas, and Richard, Edward was Ancestor of the present Lord, and Thomas Secretary of State to Hen. 8, and left Issue Margaret, his Heir, Wife
of

Nevil, Lord Abergavenny.

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of Sir Robert Southwell of Mereworth in Kent, Kt, Master of the Rolls; and

[3d Ld.] **GEORGE**, the eldest, succeeded his Father: In 1511, the 2d of Hen. 8, he was made Constable of Dover-Castle, and Warden of the Cinque-Ports; and in the 22d was one of the Peers, who subscribed the Letter to Pope Clement 7, importing, That, if he did not comply with the King in the Cause of his Divorce with Queen Catherine, he would lose his Supremacy in England.

He married, first, Joan, Daughter to Thomas Earl of Arundel, by whom he had an only Daughter, Elizabeth, married to Henry Lord d'Aubigni; but by his second Wife, Mary, Daughter to Edward Duke of Buckingham, he had two Sons and six Daughters; Mary, married to Sir Thomas Fynes, Kt and Bart, whose Daughter, Margaret, was declared Baroness Dacre; Catherine, married to John St. Leger, Esq; Margaret, to John Cheney, Esq; Ursula, to Sir Warham St. Leger, Kt, Ancestor of the Lord Doneraile; Dorothy, to William Brook, Son of George Lord Cobham; and Jane, to Sir Henry Pole, Kt: And of the Sons, which were

[4th Ld.] **HENRY** and **Edward**, the eldest succeeded his Father: He married Frances, Daughter to Thomas Manners, Earl of Rutland, and dying in 1587, the 29th Eliz. left an only Daughter, Mary, Wife of Sir Thomas Fane, Kt, Ancestor to Charles Visc. Fane in Ireland, and John Earl of Westmoreland, who challenged the Title of Baroness of Abergavenny. We now return to

EDWARD, her Father's Brother, who was seated at Aldington-Park in Kent, and married Eleanor, Daughter of Sir Andrews Windsor, Knight of the Bath, Ancestor of the Earl of Plymouth, and Widow of Ralph, Lord Scroop of Upsal, by whom he had two Sons; Edward, and Henry of Billingbeer in Berks, from whom the Nevils of that C. are descended; also three Daughters, Frances, Wife of Sir Edward Walgrave, Kt; Elizabeth, Wife of Thomas Haines of the C. of York, Esq; and Catherine, of Clement Throckmorton of Hasely in the C. of Warwick, Esq;

[5th Ld.] EDWARD, the eldest, who was next Heir Male of this Line, and in whom the Castle of Abergavenny was vested, both by Testament and Act of Parliament, likewise laying Claim to the Title, it was on the 25th of May, 1603, determined by the House of Peers in his Favour; whereupon the King, to make some Satisfaction to the Heir Female, granted the Barony of Le Despencer, to her and her Heirs, from whom are descended the Earls of WESTMORELAND.

Edward, who thus enjoyed the Title, was one of the Peers that sat in Judgment upon Mary Queen of Scots: He married first Catherine, Daughter to Sir John Brown of Halton in the C. of Oxford, Kt, by whom he had four Sons,

[6th Ld.] EDWARD, Francis, George, and Henry.

His second Wife was Grisfold, Daughter of Thomas Hughes of Uxbridge, Middlesex, Esq; who brought him no Issue, and, surviving him, married Francis Clifford, Earl of Cumberland, from whom the present Earl of Burlington is descended.

Of the Children by the first Wife, the eldest, succeeding, married Rachel, Daughter to John Lennard of Knoll in Kent, Esq; Ancestor of Lady Dacre, and by her had six Sons and five Daughters: Of the Daughters, which were Elizabeth, Mary, Catherine, Frances, and Margaret, the eldest was first married to Sir John Grey, Lord Grey of Groby, (by whom she was Mother to the first Earl of Stamford) and secondly to Sir John Bingley, Kt; Mary, to Sir George Goring, Kt, afterwards Earl of Norwich; and Catherine, to Sir Stephen Lessieur: And of the Sons, which were,

[7th Ld.] Sir HENRY, Edward, Christopher, John, Thomas, and Charles, the eldest, in 1622, succeeded his Father: He married first Mary, Daughter to Thomas Sackville the first Earl of Dorset, by whom he had Sir Thomas Nevil, Kt of the Bath, and five Daughters; and by his second Wife, who was Catherine, Daughter to Edward Lord Vaux, Baron of Harowdon, he had two Sons and three Daughters,

Daughters, Catherine, Frances, and Elizabeth; whereof, the latter was married to Thomas Stoner of Stoner in the C. of Oxford, Esq; and the eldest, first to Sir Robert Howard, Kt, a younger Son of Theophilus Earl of Suffolk, and afterwards to Robert Berry of Ludlow in Salop, Esq;

Of the Daughters by the first Wife, which were Margaret, Cicely, Elizabeth, Mary, and Anne, the eldest was married to Thomas Brooke of Madely in Salop, Esq; the second to Fitz-William Coningsby, Esq; from whom is descended the present Countess of Coningsby; and Anne was Abbess of Pontoise in France; and Sir Thomas, their Brother, having married Elizabeth, Daughter to Henry Lord Mordaunt, by her had Issue, Henry, who died in his Infancy, 1629, and Charles, who died in 1637, by a Fall from his Horse; and, Henry their Grandfather dying in Dec. 1641, we come to his Sons by his second Wife, which were John his Heir, and George.

[8th Ld.] JOHN, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to William Chamberlaine of Sherburne-Castle in the C. of Oxford, Esq; but he dying in 1660, without Issue, the Honour devolved upon

[9th Ld.] GEORGE, his Brother; who marrying Mary, Daughter to Thomas, Son and Heir of Henry Giffard, Doctor of Physick, by her had George, his Son and Heir, and a Daughter, Bridget, married to Sir John Shelley, Bart, who by her had an only Daughter, Mary, married to Richard Visc. Fitz-William in Ireland, and was Mother of the Countess of Pembroke and Lady Carbery.

[10th Ld.] GEORGE, who succeeded, marrying Honora, Daughter to John Lord Bellafise of Worlaby, and dying March 26, 1695, without Issue, we return to CHRISTOPHER, third Son of Edward the sixth Lord, by Rachel Lennard, who was one of the Kts of the Bath at the Coronation of K. Charles 1; and married Mary, Daughter of Thomas Darcy of Tolston-Darcy in Essex, and left Issue RICHARD, his Heir, who by Sophia, his Wife, had Issue GEORGE NEVIL of Sheffield in Sussex, Esq; He

married Mary, Daughter of Sir Bulstrode Whitlocke, Kt, by whom he left Issue,

[11th Ld.] GEORGE, who succeeded to the Title, and Edward; of which, the former married Anne, Daughter to Nehemiah Walker of the C. of Middlesex, Esq; by whom he had three Sons and two Daughters; of which, Jane, was married to Abel Walter of Busbridge in Surry, Esq; and Anne died unmarried: Of the Sons, which were Henry, George, and Edward, the eldest died young; and, his Lordship dying, *11. Mar. 1721*

[12th Ld.] GEORGE, the second, succeeded, and married Elizabeth, eldest Daughter to Colonel Edward Thornicroft of the City of Westminster; but he dying on the 15th of Nov. 1723, without surviving Issue, was succeeded by Edward, his Brother; and he in June, 1744, married the Lord De La War.

[13th Ld.] EDWARD, who thus became Heir, married Catherine, Daughter to Lieut. Gen. Tatton: But, he dying on the 9th of Oct. 1724, in the 19th Year of his Age, and without Issue, we return to EDWARD, Brother to George the 11th Lord, who, being Commodore of a Squadron at Virginia, died on board the Lincoln Man of War, Sept. 12, 1701; leaving Issue by Hannah, Daughter of Mr. Jarvois Thorp, a Daughter, Mary, married to Charles Chamberlain of Smallfield-Place in Surry, Esq; and

[14th Ld.] WILLIAM: He married in May, 1725, Catherine Lady Abergavenny, Widow of Edward the late Lord; and by her, who died on the 4th of Dec. 1728, had Issue a Son, George, and a Daughter, Catherine.

On the 20th of May, 1732, his Lordship married to his second Wife Rebecca, Daughter to Thomas the eighth Earl of Pembroke; by which Lady, who married, secondly, Mr. Pinck, Solicitor in Chancery, and died Oct. 20, 1758, he had Issue, 1. Harriot, born Nov. 17, 1734; 2. Mary, born June 13, 1736, and died August 2, 1758; 3. Sophia, born March 14, 1738, and died Jan. 3, 1759; 4. William, born in Oct. 1741.

On the 2d of Feb. 1738-9, his Lordship was appointed Master of the Jewel-Office, and, dying Sept. 21, 1744, was succeeded by his Son,

[15th Ld.] *GEORGE*, above-mentioned, now Lord Abergavenny, who married, Feb. 5, 1753, the Hon. Mrs. *Henrietta Temple*, Widow of *Richard Temple*, Esq; Son of the Lord *Palmerston*, Niece of *James Pelham* of *Crowhurst* in *Suffex*, Esq; and hath a Son *Henry*, born Feb. 22, 1755.

A R M S.

Ruby, on a Saltire, Pearl, a Rose of the first, barbed and seeded proper.

C R E S T.

In a Ducal Coronet, Topaz, a Bull's Head, Silver, pied Diamond, armed Gold, and charged on the Neck with a Rose, as in the Coat.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Bulls Pearl, pied as the Crest, their Horns, Hoofs, plain Collars, and Chains, Gold.

M O T T O.

Ne vile velis.

C h i e f S E A T S.

At the Castle of Abergavenny in the County of Monmouth, 10 Miles from Monmouth, and 110 from London; at Eridge in Suffex, 8 Miles from East-Grinted, and 34 from London; and at Sheffield in the same County, 10 Miles from Lewes, and 40 from London.

TOUCHET,

TOUCHET, Lord AUDLEY.

H. THE Right Honourable John Touchet, Lord Audley of Heleigh; also Earl of Castlehaven, and Baron Touchet of Orier in Ireland.

Summoned to Parliament as Baron Audley of Heleigh-Castle in the C. of Stafford, (English Honour) Oct. 20, 1403, 4 Hen. 4, but originally, Jan. 26, 1296, 24 Edw. 1; and created Baron of Orier in the C. of Armagh, and Earl of Castlehaven in the C. of Cork, (Irish Honours) Sept. 6, 1616, 14 Jac. 1.

This Family has been of great Antiquity in England, WILLIAM TOUCHET having Summons to Parliament among the Barons of this Realm, from the 24th of Edw. 1, to the 34th inclusive; and cotemporary with him was THOMAS TOUCHET, who was possessed of the Manor of Ashwell in the C. of Rutland; and his Son, Sir ROBERT, the 8th of Edw. 2, doing his Homage, had Livery of all his Father's Lands, and was Father of JOHN, who marrying JOAN, Daughter to James, and Sister and Coheir to Nicholas Lord Audley of Heleigh, by her had Sir JOHN, Father of another

[1st Ld.] Sir JOHN, who in the 15th of Ric. 2 was found to be Heir to Joan his Grandmother, Sister of the forementioned Nicholas Lord Audley, and thereupon assumed that Title, and was possessed of many Lordships and fair Inheritances: He died Dec. 19, 1409, and was succeeded by

[2d Ld.] JAMES, his Son; who the 7th of Hen. 5 was in the Wars of France, and the 8th had Summons to Parliament as Lord Audley; but in the 37th of Hen. 5, being sent by Q. Margaret to encounter Richard Nevil, Earl of Salisbury, who was in Arms on behalf of the House of York, and giving him Battle at Blore-Heath in the C. of Stafford, was there slain, with 2400 of his Company; leaving by Margaret, Daughter of William Lord

Roos of Hamlake, a Son, John, and a Daughter, Anne, married to Sir Thomas Dutton of Dutton in Cheshire, whose fifth Daughter, Eleanor, married Richard Cholmondeley, Esq; Ancestor of the Earl of Cholmondeley.

[3d Ld.] JOHN, who succeeded, was in great Favour with Edward 4, who, the first Year of his Reign, made him Steward of all his Lands and Manors in the C. of Dorset, as also Warden of his Forests, Parks, and Chases in that C. and the Castle and Parks of Wardour in Wilts; and afterwards he, with the Earl of Kent, and others, landing in Britany with 10000 Men, took the Town of Conquest and the Isle of Rhee.

In the 7th of Edw. 4, he obtained a Grant of the Manors of Sheer and Vachey in Surry; in Consideration of his Attendance on the King's Person, and being one of the Privy-Council, he had a Pension of 100 l. per Ann. during Life.

In the 2d of Rich. 3, he was made Treasurer of the Exchequer; and, dying in 1492, left Issue, by Anne, Daughter and Heir to Sir Thomas Itchingham, Kt, a Son,

[4th Ld.] JAMES, who, in 1475, at the Creation of Edward Pr. of Wales, was made Kt of the Bath, and had Summons to Parliament, from the 1st of Edw. 4, to the 12th of Hen. 7; but in that Year, taking Discontent at a Subsidy then granted in Parliament, he joined the Cornish Men in their Insurrection; and, being taken Prisoner at the Battle of Black-heath, was brought to Newgate, whence he was led to Tower-hill, in a Coat of his own Armories, (which was painted on Paper, but reversed and torn) and was there beheaded, June 20, 1497.

He married first Margaret, Daughter of Sir Richard Darel, Kt, (by Margaret, Daughter of Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerset) by whom he had John, his Heir; secondly, Joan, Daughter to Fulk Bourchier, Lord Fitz-Warren, by whom he had four Sons and two Daughters; of which, Johanna was married to Sir John Chichester, Kt, Ancestor to the Earls of Donegall; and Anne to Sir John Wingfield, and

and was Mother of Sir Anthony Wingfield, Kt of the Garter.

[5th Ld.] JOHN, in 1491, attending K. Hen. 8, at the Taking of Therouenne, and afterwards being one of the Lords that subscribed that memorable Letter to Pope Clement 7, had Restitution of all his Father's Lands; and marrying Mary, Daughter to Richard Griffin of Braybroke in the C. of Northampton, Esq; by her had

[6th Ld.] GEORGE, his Heir, who married Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir Brian Tuke, Receiver-General to the King, by whom he had a Son,

[7th Ld.] HENRY, whose Wife was Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir William Snede of Bradwell in the C. of Stafford, and by her had two Sons, and two Daughters, Anne and Elizabeth; whereof, the eldest was married to Thomas Brooke of Norton in the C. of Chester, Esq; and the youngest, first to ——— Bradshaigh of Haigh in Lancashire, Esq; and secondly to George Legh of High-Legh, Esq; And of the Sons, which were,

[8th Ld.] GEORGE and James, the latter died without Issue, and the eldest succeeded his Father, and by James 1 was created Earl of Castlehaven in Ireland.

He was also made Governor of Utrecht in the Netherlands, and was wounded at the Battle of Kingsale, but yet was victorious; and marrying Lucy, Daughter to Sir James Mervin of Fontell in Wilts, Kt, by her he had two Sons and five Daughters; Elizabeth, first married to Sir John Stawell, Kt of the Bath, Ancestor to the Lord Stawell, and secondly to Sir Thomas Griffin, Ancestor to the late Lord Griffin, and to John Whitwell Griffin, Esq; Eleanor, first to Sir John Davis, Kt, the King's Attorney-General in Ireland, and next to Sir Archibald Douglas, Kt; Anne, to Edward Blount of Arleston in the C. of Derby, Esq; Mary, to Sir Thomas Thynne of Long-Leate in Wilts, Grandfather of Mr. Thynne, who was basely murdered in Pall-Mall; and Christian, to Sir Henry Mervin of Petersfield, Kt. He married another Wife, Elizabeth, Daughter to Andrew Noel, And of the Sons, which were

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[9th Ld.] Sir MERVIN and Ferdinando, the latter was made Kt of the Bath at the Creation of Henry Pr. of Wales, and the eldest succeeded his Father: He married first Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Benedict Barnham, Alderman of London, and secondly Anne, Daughter to Ferdinando Stanley, Earl of Derby, and Widow of Grey Bridges, Lord Chandos; but, being accused of certain high Crimes, was tried by a Commission of Oyer and Terminer, and on the 14th of May, 1631, was beheaded on Tower-Hill.

By his second Wife he had no Issue; but by his first he had three Sons and three Daughters; of which, the Lady Lucy was first married to John Ancell, Esq; and afterwards to Gerald Fitz-Maurice, Brother to the Lord of Kerry in Ireland; Dorothy, to Edmund Butler, the 4th Visc. Mountgarret of the same Kingdom; and Frances, to Colonel Richard Butler, Brother to the 1st Duke of Ormond: And of the Sons, which were

[10th Ld.] JAMES, George, and Mervin, the second was a Benedictine Monk at Doway, and the eldest, who became Heir, was by Letters Patent, dated the 3d of June, 1634, restored to the Title and Dignity of Lord Audley, and Earl of Castlehaven.

In the Time of the Civil Wars, he was a Commander in Ireland under the Duke of Ormond; and in 1649 was General of the Irish Forces, and acted against Cromwell's Army, till the Reduction of that Kingdom, when he retired to Paris. On the Restoration he returned to England, and obtained an Act of Parliament, in 1678, for restoring the Titles, forfeited by his Father, to himself, and the Heirs Male of his Body, and, in Default thereof, to Mervin his Brother, and, for Want of Issue by him, to his Sisters and their Heirs.

He married Elizabeth, Daughter to Grey Bridges, Lord Chandos; but, dying without Issue at Kilcash in Ireland, Oct. 11, 1684,

[11th Ld.] MERVIN, his Brother, succeeded him; and marrying Mary, youngest Daughter to John Talbot, the

the 10th Earl of Shrewsbury; and Widow of Charles Arundel, Esq; by her had two Sons and three Daughters.

Of the Daughters, which were Mary, Anne, and Eleanor, the eldest, was married to Sir Henry Wingfield of Easton in Suffolk, Bart. And of the Sons, which were,

[12th Ld.] JAMES and John, the latter married Elizabeth, second Daughter of Thomas Savile, Earl of Sussex, by whom he had a Daughter Mary, who was the first Wife of Cadwallader Lord Blaney; and the eldest married Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to ——— Bard of Weston, Esq; (by Anne, his Wife, Daughter to Charles Villiers, Earl of Anglesea, and Widow of Thomas Ratcliff, Earl of Sussex) and by her (who died in June, 1733) had

[13th Ld.] JAMES his only Child, who on the 12th of Aug. 1700, succeeded him, and enjoyed the Honour.

This noble Lord, in 1723, taking to Wife Elizabeth, only Daughter to Henry, Lord Arundel of Wardour, by her (who died in July, 1743) had several Children; particularly a Son, John, born April 1, 1723; and Lady Mary, married Nov. 10, 1749, to Captain Thicknefs.

His Lordship, dying at Paris in Nov. 1740, was succeeded by his Son,

[14th Ld.] JOHN, now Lord Audley, and Earl of Castlehaven.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th Ermine, a Chevron Ruby, for Touchet; 2d and 3d Ruby, a Fret Topaz, for Audley.

C R E S T.

In a Ducal Coronet Gold, a Swan rising, Pearl, ducally gorged, Topaz.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Wyverns with Wings expanded, Diamond.

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Chief SEATS.

At Heleigh-Castle in the County of Stafford, 3 Miles from Newcastle, and 120 from London; and at Castlehaven in the County of Cork in Ireland, 6 Miles from Baltimore, and 2 from Dublin.

BARRETT-LENNARD, Lord DACRE.

III. **T**HE Right Honourable Thomas Barrett-Lennard, Lord Dacre.

Originally by Tenure and Writ of Summons, the 25th Edw. 1, 1297; also by Writ of Summons, 36 Hen. 6, 1460; again declared, 2 Jam. 1, 1604.

The Family of Lennard were long resident at Chevening in Kent; of which, GEORGE LENNARD lived in the Reign of King Hen. 6, and by Maud, his Wife, had Issue JOHN, who married Anne, Daughter and Heir of Thomas Bird, of an ancient Family in Essex, and had JOHN, his Heir, who married Catherine, Daughter of Thomas Weston of Chepsted in Kent, and left Issue two Sons, JOHN and William; of which, the eldest, in 37 Hen. 8, was made Prothonotary of the Common-Pleas, and Q. Mary gave him a Grant of the Manor of Chepsted in Kent: In the 4th of Q. Elizabeth, he obtained the Office of Custos Brevium of the Common-Pleas (now held by the Earl of Litchfield) and in the 13th was Sheriff of Kent. He married Elizabeth, Daughter of William Harman of Crayford in Kent, by whom he had two Sons, Sampson and Sir Samuel, and five Daughters; 1. Mary, Wife first of Gilford, Son of Sir Thomas Walsingham of Scadbury in Kent, and secondly of Sir Thomas Gresham of Tittsey in Suffry; 2. Elizabeth, married to Sir Francis Eure, Kt. second Son to William Lord Eure; 3. Rachel, to Edward Nevil, the sixth Lord Abergavenny;

Abergavenny; 4. Anne, to Marmaduke Darrel, Cofferer to K. James 1; 5. Timothea, to Sir Walter Covert of Slaugham in Suffex. Sir Samuel, the second Son, was of West-Wickham in Kent, Ancestor of the Baronets of that Name, now extinct: And **SAMPSON**, the eldest, married Margaret, Daughter of Thomas, and Sister and Heir to Gregory Fynes, Lord Dacre, who brought him the Manor of Dacre, and divers other Lands in Cumberland, Suffex, Kent, Norfolk, Lincolnshire, and Essex; and, the said Margaret laying Claim to the Barony of Dacre, the same was adjudged to her, the 2d of James 1. This Barony was originally in the Family of **Vaux**, whose Daughter and Heir, **MAUD**, married Thomas De Multon, a Family of great Note in Lincolnshire and Cumberland; from this Family it went with **MARGARET**, their Heir, who married **RANULPH DE DACRE**, who left four Sons; of which, William, Thomas, and Ranulph died without Issue; and **HUGH**, the youngest, succeeded: He left **WILLIAM**, his Heir, who married Joan, Daughter of William Earl Douglas, and had Issue **THOMAS**, who had Summons to Parliament, from the 14th of Henry 4, to the 36th of Henry 6; and died Jan. 15, 38 Hen. 6. He left Issue Sir Thomas, Ranulph, (who died soon after his Father) and Humphry. Sir **THOMAS** died in the Life-time of his Father, and left Issue by Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir William Bowet, Kt, an only Daughter, **JOAN**, married to Sir Richard Fynes, Chamberlain to K. Edward 4, who, upon her Grandfather's Death, was in his Right declared Baroness Dacre: But, a Dispute arising between this Lady and Humphry, her Uncle, the Heir Male, concerning the Lordships, Manors, &c. of the late Lord, at length they finally agreed to leave their Difference to the Arbitration of K. Edward 4, who heard the Cause in Parliament, and confirmed to Sir **RICHARD FYNES** and his Lady Joan the same Place and Precedence in Parliament as her Grandfather enjoyed, and decreed to them divers of the Manors and Castles in Dispute: But Gillefland, the ancient Seat of the **Vaux's**, was adjudged, with several considerable Estates, to Sir Humphry, who at
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the same Time was created a Baron, with Place next below Sir Richard Fynes and the Lady Joan, and for Distinction styled Lord DACRE of GILLESLAND, as Sir Richard was Lord Dacre. Sir Richard was of an ancient Family, formerly Hereditary Constables of Dover-Castle, for which K. John gave them in Exchange the Manor of Wendover in Bucks: He was Constable of the Tower of London, and died 2 Richard 3, leaving Sir Thomas, his Grandson, his Heir, who was Kt of the Bath; and who, in 3 Henry 8, going one Night in a Frolick to hunt in Sir Nicholas Pelham's Park, with several others, and separating themselves, a Fray ensued between some of his Companions and the Keepers, in which one of the latter was killed; and, though Sir Thomas was in another Part of the Park, yet he was found guilty of the Murder, and was executed for it, in the twenty-fifth Year of his Age. He was esteemed of a most hopeful Disposition, and never was there more Reason for tempering the Rigour of the Law: But his great Estate caused his Destruction, the Courtiers rather exasperating than mitigating his Offences to the King, of himself prone to Severity. He left Issue by Mary, Daughter to George Nevil, Lord Abergavenny, Thomas, who died young, GREGORY, his Successor, and Margaret, who were restored to Blood, by Act of Parliament, in the first of Elizabeth. The said Gregory Lord Dacre married Anne, Sister to Thomas Lord Buckhurst; but, dying without Issue, 4 Edward 6, MARGARET, his Sister, laid Claim to the Barony, as before-mentioned.

By the said Mr. Lennard she had three Sons, Henry, Gregory, and Thomas, and five Daughters; Anne, married to Herbert Morley of Glynde in Sussex, Esq; whose eldest Daughter and Coheir, Margaret, married Sir Humphry Tufton of the Mote in Kent, Kt and Bart; and his second Daughter and Coheir, Chrysozona, married Richard Tufton, Esq; Brother to Sir Humphry; Mary, to Sir Ralph Bosville of Sevenoakes in Kent; Margaret, to Sir Thomas Waller of Groombridge in Sussex, by whom he had Sir William Waller, the Parliament's General in the Time of

King Charles 1; Elizabeth, to Sir Francis Barnham; and Frances, to Sir Robert More of Lotherley in Surry. His Majesty K. James 1, as appears by that King's Patent granted to the said Sampson Lennard, Esq; intended calling him up to the House of Peers as Lord Dacre; but the Death of his Lady in 1611, by which her Son immediately succeeded to the Barony, prevented it; and his Majesty thereupon by the said Patent granted him Precedency as the eldest Son of the Lord Dacre. He died in 1615, aged 71.

HENRY, their Son, who succeeded as Lord Dacre, married Chryfogona, Daughter of Sir Richard Baker of Sissingherst in Kent, by whom he had three Sons, Richard, Edward, and Fynes, of which the two last died without Issue; and four Daughters; Margaret, married to Sir Anthony Wildgoos of Eridge-Court, Suffex; Penelope, to Sir William Brooke, Kt and Bart; Philadelphia, to Sir Thomas Parker of Ratton in Suffex; and Barbara, to Sir Philip Stapleton, Kt: And their Father, dying August 13, 1616, was succeeded by his eldest Son,

RICHARD, Lord Dacre: He married first Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir of Sir Arthur Throckmorton of Paulers-Perry in Northamptonshire, by whom he had four Sons, Francis, Richard, Thomas, and Henry; which three last died without Issue: His second Wife was Dorothy, Daughter of Dudley Lord North, by whom he had a Son, Richard, who took the Name of Barrett; of whom hereafter.

FRANCIS succeeded his Father, who died 18 Aug. 1630, as Lord Dacre: He married Elizabeth, Daughter of Paul Visc. Bayning of Sudbury, and had Issue three Sons and three Daughters; Philadelphia, married to Daniel Obrien, Visc. Clare; Elizabeth, to William Brabazon, third Earl of Meath; and Margaret, who died unmarried: His Sons were, Thomas, his Successor, Francis, who died a Batchelor, and Henry, who left three Daughters. Their Father died in 1662; and Elizabeth, his Wife, was created Countess of Sheppy, during Life, Sept. 6, 1680.

THOMAS

THOMAS Lord Dacre, their Heir, married the Lady Anne Fitzroy, natural Daughter of K. Charles 2., by Barbara Dutchess of Cleveland, and was, by Letters Patent dated October 5, 26 Car. 2, created Earl of Suffex. He was Lord of the Bedchamber to the said King, and, running into the Gaieties of the Court, lost very great Sums of Money, and was obliged to sell his Estates in Suffex. He had Issue two Sons, Charles and Henry, who died in their Infancy, and two Daughters, Barbara and Anne, his Coheirs. He died in 1715, and the Barony became in Abeyance between the Daughters, till, the eldest (who was the Wife of Charles Skelton, Esq; a General Officer in the Service of the French King) dying at Paris in 1740, without Issue, Lady ANNE, her Sister, became sole Heir, and was Baroness Dacre. She married, first, Richard-Lennard Barrett, Esq; secondly, to Henry Roper, Lord Teynham, being his second Wife; by whom she had two Sons, Charles and Henry, both in the Army, and one Daughter, Anne; thirdly, Robert Moore, late of Enfield-Chace, Esq; a younger Son of Henry Earl of Drogheda of the Kingdom of Ireland, by whom she has one Son, Henry.

Richard-Lennard Barrett, Esq; her first Husband, was her Cousin; being Grandson of Richard Lennard, Son of Richard Lord Dacre, by his second Wife. This Richard Lennard took the Surname of Barrett, in Consideration of the Manor of Bellhouse in the Parish of Avely, and other Lands in Essex, bequeathed him by Sir Edward Barrett, his distant Kinsman, on Condition that he used the Name and Arms of Barrett, viz. *Party per Pale, Barry of six, counterchanged, Argent and Gules.*

This Family of Barrett had been seated at Bellhouse ever since the Reign of King Henry 4, when John Barrett of Hawkhurst in Kent, married Alice, Daughter of Sir Thomas, and Sister and Heir of John Bellhouse, of Bellhouse aforesaid.

The said Richard-Lennard Barrett married Anne, Daughter and Heir of Sir Robert Loftus, Kt, eldest Son of Adam Vise, Elye, who died in his Father's Life-time; by whom

he had Dacres-Lennard Barrett, his Son and Heir; Richard, who died a Batchelor; Anne, married to Carew Mildmay, Esq; and Dorothy, who died unmarried. Dacres married the Lady Anne, Daughter of Arthur Chichester, Earl of Donegal; by whom he had a Son, Richard, who, as already mentioned, married the Lady Anne Lennard, late Baroness Dacre; but died in 1726, five Months after his Marriage. He left his Wife with Child of a Son,

THOMAS, who succeeded to his Grandfather's Estate, and also to the Title of Lord Dacre, upon the Death of his Mother, June 26, 1755: He married Anne, Daughter of Sir John Pratt, Kt, Lord Chief-Justice of England; by whom he had Issue a Daughter, named Anna-Barbara, who died March 14, 1749.

A R M S.

Or, on a Fefs Gules, three Fleurs de Lis, of the first.

C R E S T.

An Arabian Dog's Head, Argent, langued Gules, Eyes Or, issuing out of a Ducal Coronet, Or.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the Dexter Side, a Wolf Argent, gorged and chained, Or; on the Sinister, a Bull Gules, horned, Or, collared with a Ducal Coronet and Chain, Or.

COMPTON-TOWNSHEND, Baroness
FERRERS.

IV. **T**HE Right Honourable Charlotte Compton-Townshend, Baroness Ferrers of Chartley.

Originally by Tenure, and Writ of Sommons, Feb. 6, 1298, 27 Edw. 1; also by Writ of Summons, 1 Edw. 4, 1460; again by Writ, Dec. 17, 1677.

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The first of this Family which settled in England was HENRY DE FERRARIIS, a Norman, who came over with William the Conqueror, and was, in the 14th of that King, a Commissioner for a general Survey of the Kingdom, and possessed of 200 Lordships in Derbyshire and elsewhere. By Bertha, his Wife, he had Issue two Sons, Egenulph and William, who died before him, and ROBERT, his Heir, who commanded the Derbyshire Men in the famous Battle near Northallerton, called Bellum de Standardo, and was, for his great Services, advanced to the Earldom of Derby the same Year, 3d K. Stephen. By his Wife, Hawise de Vitry, he had three Sons; WILLIAM, Earl Ferrers and Derby, slain in his Lodgings in Lombard-Street, London; Robert, who succeeded him; and Walcheline, whose Daughter Isabel married Roger de Mortimer. ROBERT, who was Heir to his Brother William, married Sibylle, Daughter of William de Braose, Lord of Brecknock, and was succeeded by WILLIAM Earl Ferrers, his Son and Heir. On King Richard's first Arrival in England, after the Death of King Henry, the said King bestowed his Earldom of Derby on John Earl of Morton, his Brother. However, the Earl Ferrers attended that King in his Voyage to the Holy Land, and died at the Siege of Acon, 2d Ric. 1. He married Margaret, Daughter and Heir of William Peverell of Nottingham, with whom he had the Lordship of Higham, now called Higham-Ferrers, in the C. of Northampton. He left Issue WILLIAM, his Heir, who on the 8th of June, 1 K. John, was solemnly created Earl of Derby by a special Charter dated at Northampton, and was girt with a Sword by the King's own Hands, as expressed in the Charter, the first Precedent of that Kind. He was one of the Witnesses to that King's Resignation of his Kingdom to the Pope, and was one of the Sureties for 1000 Marks he was to pay the Apostolical See. He married Agnes, Sister and Coheir to Ranulph Earl of Chester, and was succeeded by his Son and Heir,

WILLIAM, Earl Ferrers and Derby, who, doing Homage 32 Hen. 3, had Livery of Chartley-Castle, and other Lands

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Lands of his Mother's Inheritance, and sat in the Parliament held at London. He was, by reason of his being sorely afflicted with the Gout, drawn from Place to Place in a Chariot, and, through the Heedlessness of the Driver, overthrown from the Bridge of St. Neot's in Huntingdonshire, whereby his Limbs were so broken, that he died in April, 1254. He married first Sibyl, Daughter and Coheir of William Marechal, Earl of Pembroke, by whom he had seven Daughters, all married: His second Wife was Margaret, Daughter and Coheir of Roger de Quincy, Earl of Winchester, by whom he had two Sons; Robert, his Heir in the Earldom of Derby; and William, who had his Mother's Inheritance of Groby in the C. of Leicestershire. He married Jane, Daughter of Hugh Lord Spencer, and had Issue William, his Heir, who, in the 25th of Edward 1, was summoned to Parliament as Lord Ferrers of Groby. He left Issue by Margaret, Daughter of John Lord Segrave, Henry, his Heir, who married Isabel, Daughter and Coheir of Theobald de Verdon, and had Issue William, his Heir, who by Margaret, Daughter of Michael de la Pole, Earl of Suffolk, had Henry, his Heir; and he, marrying Joan, Daughter of Luke Lord Poynings, had Issue William, who died May 18, 1445, leaving two Sons, Henry and Thomas, Ancestors of the Family of Ferrers of Tamworth-Castle in the C. of Warwick. Henry, the eldest, died in the Life-time of his Father, and by Elizabeth, Daughter of Thomas Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk, left Issue Elizabeth, his sole Daughter and Heir, Wife of Sir Edward Grey, Kt, eldest Son of Reginald Lord Grey of Ruthin, by his second Wife, Joan, Daughter and Heir of William Lord Astley; which Sir Edward was summoned to Parliament as Lord Ferrers of Groby; from whom is descended the present Earl of Stamford. We now return to ROBERT FERRERS, Earl of Derby, who, joining with the rebellious Barons, was taken Prisoner the 50th Hen. 3, and brought to London, where he was confined three Years, and disinherited by the Parliament; and Edmund, the King's Son, had a Grant of his Lands, as well as his Earldom,

dom, to hold during Pleasure, which he never could recover. He died the 7th of Edward 1; having married first Mary, Daughter to Hugh le Brun, Earl of Angoulesme, Neice to K. Hen. 3, he being but nine, and she but eight Years old: By her he had no Issue: But by his second Wife, Alianore, Daughter to Ralph Lord Basset, he had JOHN, his Heir, who, in the 27th of Edward 1, was summoned to Parliament, among the Barons, as Lord Ferrers of Chartley. He married Hawyse, Daughter and Heir of Sir Walter de Muscegros, Kt, and died the 18th of Edward 2, leaving ROBERT, his Heir, who, in the Reign of K. Edward 3, had a considerable Command, particularly at the Battle of Cressy. He married Agnes, Daughter of Humphry de Bohun, Earl of Hereford, leaving John, his Heir, and Robert, who married Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir of William le Boteler, second Son of William Baron of Wemm.

JOHN, who succeeded as Lord Ferrers, was, in the 33d Edward 3, in the Expedition into Gascoigne; and having married Elizabeth, Daughter of Ralph Earl of Stafford, and Widow of Foulk L'Estrange, died April 22, 1367, and was succeeded by his Son, ROBERT, Lord Ferrers, then seven Years old, who was in the Expedition to France, the 2d Ric. 2, and died in 1413, leaving Issue by Margaret, Daughter of Edward Lord Spencer,

EDMUND, his Heir, who was with K. Hen. 5 at the Battle of Agincourt, and died in 1436. He married Eleanor, Daughter and Heir of Sir Thomas de la Roche, Kt, and by her, who married secondly Sir Philip Chetwynd, Kt, Ancestor of the Lord Chetwynd, had two Sons, WILLIAM, Lord Ferrers, and Edmund; of which the eldest married Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir Hamon Belknap, Kt, and died June 9, 1450, leaving an only Daughter, ANNE, his Heir, at that Time but eleven Years old, but then married to Sir WALTER DEVEREUX, Kt, who was summoned to Parliament as Lord Ferrers of Chartley, and whose Grandson was created Viscount Hereford, as may be seen in the Account of that Family: From that Family the Barony descended to DOROTHY,

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Daughter of Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex, the great Favourite of Q. Elizabeth, who married Sir Henry Shirley, as may be seen in the Account of the Family of Earl Ferrers; and that ELIZABETH, Daughter of Robert Viscount Tamworth, succeeded to the Barony. She married James Compton, late Earl of Northampton; and, dying in 1740, the Lady CHARLOTTE, her only surviving Daughter, at length, became Baroness Ferrers of Chartley, and in Dec. 1751, married George Townshend, Esq; eldest Son of Charles Viscount Townshend, by whom she had a Son, George, born May 7, 1753, and a Daughter, Charlotte, born Oct. 15, 1754.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st, Diamond, a Lion Passant-Guardant, Topaz, between three Helmets Argent, for Compton. 2d, Pally of six, Topaz and Sapphire, a Canton Ermine, for Shirley. 3d, France and England quarterly, with a Border Pearl, for Thomas of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester. 4th, As the first.

WEST, Lord DE LA WAR.

V. **T**HE Right Honourable John West, Lord De La War, Lieut. Gen. of his Majesty's Forces, Colonel of the First Troop of Horse-Guards, Member of the Privy-Council, Governor of the Island of Guernsey, and Castle of Cornet, Master-Forester of the Bailiwick of Fritham in the New Forest, Kt of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, and F. R. S.

Summoned to Parliament as Lord De La War, June 21, 1402, 2 Hen. 4; but took Place as West, Feb. 25, 1341, 16 Edw. 3; originally Feb. 6, 1298, 27 Edw. 1.

The first of this Family, mentioned by Sir William Dugdale, is Sir THOMAS DE WEST, who, in the 17th of Edw. 2, served in Parliament, as one of the Knights for the

the C. of Warwick; and two Years after he obtained Licence to make a Castle of his Manor-House at Rugcome in Wilts.

In the 4th of Edw. 3, he was made Governor of the Castle of Christ-Church in the C. of Southampton, as in the 7th and 9th he served in the Expedition made into Scotland, and, for his many good Services, obtained a Grant in Fee for Return of all Writs and Summons of the Exchequer, within his Lordships of Swalcliff and Sutton in Wilts; and in the 16th of that Reign he had Summons to Parliament among the Peers of the Realm.

He married Eleanor, Daughter and Heir to Sir John Cantilupe of Snitfield in the C. of Warwick, and by her had Sir THOMAS DE WEST, Kt, who, being at the Battle of Cressy, and there taking John, the French King, Prisoner in the Field, had, for that renowned and remarkable Piece of Service, a Badge added to the Coat of his Ancestors, which was a Crampette Or, with the Distinction of a Chape of a Sword in the Midst, the Chape being given him by the said King, as an Acknowledgment of his becoming his Prisoner.

He was also possessed of twenty-one Manors and Lordships in the Cs of Gloucester, Dorset, Warwick, Devon, Southampton, and Wilts: He married Alice, Sister to Lucy Fitz-Herbert, Priores of Shaftesbury, and was succeeded by Sir THOMAS, his Son; who marrying Joan, Daughter to Roger Lord De La War, (by Eleanor, his second Wife, Daughter of John de Mowbray, and Sister by the Half-Blood, and Heir to Thomas Lord De La War) had Summons to Parliament the 2d and 5th of Hen. 4, and was Father of another Sir THOMAS, who, in 1405, succeeded him; and marrying Ida, Daughter and Coheir to Almeric de St. Amand, had Livery of the Lands of her Inheritance; but having no Issue,

[1st Ld.] Sir REGINALD, his Brother, became Heir, and, the 4th of Hen. 5, was made Governor of St. Lo in France, upon the Taking thereof. In the 7th of Hen. 5, he was made Captain of the Castle of De La Mote in Normandy;

mandy; and in the 5th of Hen. 6, upon the Death of Thomas Lord De La War, had Livery of the Lands of his Mother's Inheritance, she being Sister and Heir to the said Thomas; and, from the 5th of Hen. 6. was summoned to Parliament as Lord De La War; and at the Time of his Death, which was in 1451, the 29th of Hen. 6, was seized of forty-three Manors. He married Margaret, Daughter and Heir of Robert Thorley, and left Issue a Daughter, Elizabeth, married to William Berkeley, Earl of Nottingham, and

[2d Ld.] RICHARD, his Heir, who was a valiant Affector of the Lancastrian Interest; but, on the Change of Affairs, had a Licence from K. Edw. 4 to retire beyond Sea; but he soon returned, and was summoned to Parliament as Lord De La War, and died Mar. 10, 16th of Edw. 4, leaving Issue by Catherine, Daughter of Robert Lord Hungerford, a Son and Heir,

[3d Ld.] THOMAS, who stood in such Favour with K. Hen. 7, that, in the 1st Year of his Reign, he obtained a Grant of the Castle, Barony, Honour, Lordship, Town and Borough of Bramber in Suffex, and divers other Lordships and Manors; and, in the 6th of Hen. 8, he waited on the Princess Mary, the King's Sister, into France, in order to her Marriage with Lewis 12 of that Realm, and was made a Kt of the Garter.

He married first Elizabeth, Sister and Heir to John Mortimer of Mortimer's-Hall, Hants, and had Issue two Sons, and four Daughters; secondly, Eleanor, Daughter to Sir Roger Copley, Kt, by whom he had three Sons, Owen, George, and Leonard, and three Daughters; Anne, married to Sir Anthony St. Amand, Kt; Barbara, to Sir John Guildford, Kt; and Catherine. Of the Daughters by the first Wife, Dorothy was married to Sir Henry Owen, Kt; Elizabeth, to Charles Earl of Worcester; Anne, to Thomas Lord Clinton; and Eleanor, to Sir Edward Guildford, Kt: And of the Sons, William died without Issue, and

[4th Ld.] THOMAS, the eldest, succeeded his Father, and was elected Kt of the Garter, Dec. 1, 1548. He

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was one of the Peers which signed that memorable Letter to Pope Clement 7 about the Divorce of Q. Catherine; and in the 31st of Hen. 8, upon the Dissolution of Monasteries, obtained a Grant of divers Lands; but dying Oct. 9, 1554, without Issue, William, Son of his Brother George, became his Heir.

[5th Ld.] WILLIAM, who succeeded his Uncle, serv'd in the English Army at the Siege of St. Quintin in Picardy, the 4th of Q. Mary; and marrying Elizabeth, Daughter to Thomas Strange of Chesterton in the C. of Gloucester, by her had a Daughter Jane, married to Sir Richard Wenman.

[6th Ld.] THOMAS, his Son, married Anne, Daughter to Sir Francis Knolles, Kt of the Garter, and Treasurer of the Household to Q. Elizabeth, and by her had two Sons and six Daughters.

Of the Daughters, which were Lucy, Catherine, Eleanor, Anne, Penelope, and Elizabeth, the eldest was married to Henry Ludlow, Esq; Eleanor, to Sir William Savage, Kt; Anne, to John Pellet, Esq; Son and Heir to Sir Benjamin Pellet of Bolney in Suffex, Kt; and Penelope, to Herbert Pelham, Esq;

[7th Ld.] And of the Sons, which were ROBERT and THOMAS, the eldest marrying Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir Henry Cock, Kt, and dying without Issue,

[8th Ld.] THOMAS, his Brother, became Heir, and in 1609 was made Captain-General of all the Colonies then planted, or to be planted, in Virginia; but, sailing thither, with three Ships and 150 Men, chiefly Artificers, died in the Voyage. He married Cicely, Daughter to Sir Thomas Shirley, Kt, and had Henry, his Heir, and six Daughters, Jane, Elizabeth, Anne, Cicely, Lucy, and Catherine: And the said

[9th Ld.] HENRY, marrying Isabel, Daughter to Sir Thomas Edmonds, Kt, Treasurer of the Household to K. Ch. 1, by her had a Son, Charles, and two Daughters.

Of the Daughters, Elizabeth was married to Francis Binlofs, Esq; and Mary to the Reverend Mr. Orme: And

[10th Ld.] CHARLES their Brother, succeeding his Father, and taking to Wife Anne, Daughter to John Wild of Droitwich in the C. of Worcester, Esq; Serjeant at Law, by her had three Sons and two Daughters; Cicely, who was married to Dr. Beau, Bishop of Hereford; and Anna-Sophia, who died unmarried. And of the Sons, which were

[11th Ld.] CHARLES, Horatio, and John; the second died in Barbadoes unmarried, and the eldest succeeded his Father; but, he taking to his first Wife —, Daughter to — Huddleston, Esq; and to his second Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Sir Edmund Pye of Bradenham in the C. of Bucks, Bart, and dying without Issue,

[12th Ld.] JOHN, his Brother, became his Heir, and was Groom of the Stole and first Gentleman of the Bedchamber to George Prince of Denmark.

In 1713, he was appointed Treasurer of the Chamber to Q. Anne; and, by K. Geo. 1, was made one of the Tellers of the Exchequer, and Treasurer of the Excise; but, dying on the 26th of May, 1723, left Issue by Margaret, sole Daughter and Heir to John Freeman of London, Merchant, who died in Jan. 1737-8, John, the present Lord, and a Daughter, Elizabeth, who, in Aug. 1724, was married to Thomas Diggs, late of Chilham-Castle in Kent, Esq.

[13th Ld.] JOHN, who succeeded his Father, and is now Lord De La War, was Member in the first Parliament of K. Geo. 1 for Grampound; and in Sept. 1737, was made Colonel and Captain of the first Troop of Horse-Guards; and his Lordship (who, on the 27th of May, 1725, was elected a Kt of the Bath) in 1721, marrying the Lady Charlotte Maccarty, Daughter to Donagh, Earl of Clancarty in Ireland, (by the Lady Mary Spencer, his Wife, second Daughter to Robert Earl of Sunderland, by the Lady Anne Digby, his Wife, second Daughter to George Earl of Bristol) by her, who died Feb. 7, 1734-5, has Issue, 1. John, bor in 1729, married Aug. 8, 1756, to Miss

Whynyard,

Whynyard, Daughter of the late General, by whom he had a Son, born April 25, 1757, and a Son, born July 31, 1758; 2. Henrietta-Cecilia, born in 1730; 3. Diana, born in 1731, married Nov. 9, 1756, to Colonel Clavering of the First Regiment of Foot-Guards; and, 4. George, born in 1733, was in Nov. 1759, appointed Captain-Lieutenant in the Foot-Guards, with the Rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

In July, 1742, his Lordship was appointed Master-Forester of the Bailiwick of Fritham in the New Forest in Hampshire; and in June, 1744, married to his second Wife the Lady Dowager Abergavenny, who died in July, 1748.

A R M S.

Six Coats quarterly, 1st Pearl, a Fefs dancette, Diamond, for West. 2^d Sapphire, three Leopards Heads, issuing Fleurs de Lis Topaz, for Cantilupe. 3^d Ruby, a Lion rampant, between eight Crosses Croislets fitchy, Pearl, for De La War. 4th Ruby, three Bars Gemels and a Lion passant-guardant in Chief, Topaz, for Ewyas. 5th Pearl, a Fefs Ruby, between three Mulletts of six Points, Diamond, for Tregoze. 6th Ruby, three Bendlets in Chief Sinister, Topaz, for Gresley; but the first only is engraved.

C R E S T.

In a Ducal Coronet, Topaz, a Grifphon's Head Sapphire, Ears and Beak Gold.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the Dexter Side, a Wolf coward, Silver, his plain Collar Topaz. On the Sinister, a Cockatrice Gold, his Wings displayed Sapphire.

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Jour de ma Vie.

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TUFTON-COKE, Baronefs CLIFFORD.

VI. **T**HE Right Honourable Margaret Tufton-Coke, Lady Clifford, Westmorland, and Vescy, and Countess-Dowager of Leicester.

Summoned to Parliament as Baron de Clifford, by Writ dated Dec. 29, 1299, 28th Edw. 1, the same Day as Lord Strange.

This noble Family took its Surname from Clifford-Castle in Herefordshire, built by William Fitz-Osborn, Earl of Hereford, in the Reign of William the Conqueror; being given in Marriage to Walter, Son of RICHARD FITZ-PONCE, with Margaret, Daughter and Heir of Ralph de Toeny, a Descendant from the said Fitz-Osborn; which Richard was Son of William Earl of Angus in Normandy, second Son to Richard Duke of Normandy, and was surnamed Ponce from an Island called Ponor, and had by Maud, his Wife, three Sons; 1. Simon, Founder of the Priory of Clifford in Herefordshire; 2. WALTER, who resided at Clifford-Castle, and took the Surname of Clifford; and, 3. Richard.

[1st Ld.] WALTER, having married Margaret above-mentioned, had Issue five Sons, Walter, Richard, Roger, Simon, and Hugh, and two Daughters, Rosamond and Lucy; of which, the eldest was the Concubine to King Hen. 2, by whom he had William Longspee, Earl of Salisbury, and other Children; and Lucy (by some called Alice) was married to Hugh Lord Say; Roger, Simon, and Hugh died without Issue: Richard was Lord of Frampton in Gloucestershire, from whom descended the Cliffords of that Place, in a direct Line, for fifteen or sixteen Descents,

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till at length it fell to a Daughter and Heir, Mary, who died without Issue; but her Father's younger Brother had Issue Anthony Clifford, the Poſſeſſor of Frampton in 1648.

[2d Ld.] WALTER, who ſucceeded his Father, married Agnes, ſole Daughter and Heir to Roger de Cundy of Covenby and Glentham in the C. of Lincoln, (by Alice, Lady of Horncaſtle, ſole Daughter and Heir of William de Cheney, Lord of Covenby and Glentham, in the Time of William the Conqueror) by whom he had five Sons and ſeveral Daughters, and was ſucceeded by

[3d Ld.] WALTER, his eldeſt Son, who was Governor of Carmarthen and Cardigan Caſtles; but in the 17th of Hen. 3, adhering to the Earl of Pembroke, and the other Barons; againſt the King, he was out-lawed, but ſoon after reſtored, and was afterwards in great Favour with that King: By Margaret, Daughter to Llewelyn Prince of Wales, he had Maud, his only Daughter and Heir, who was married firſt to William Longſpee, third Son of William Earl of Salifbury, before-mentioned; and ſecondly to Sir John Gifford of Brimfield.

[4th Ld.] We come now to ROGER, his Brother: In the 47th of Hen. 3, being made Governor of the Caſtles of Marlborough and Ludgerſhal, he fell from his Allegiance, and joined the rebellious Barons; but the Year following he forſook them, and joined the King at Oxford, and from thence marched to Northampton, and, for his Valour and Succeſs before that Town, the King made him Governor of Glouceſter-Caſtle, and Sheriff of the County, and beſtowed on him other great Marks of Favour. In the 1ſt of Edw. 1, being preſent when William Lord of Tornon on the Rhine did his Homage at the Caſtle of St. George near Beaufort in France to King Edward, he then wedded the Counteſs of Lauritaine or Lorrain, by whom he had a Son, ROGER, who on St. Leonard's Day, 11th of Edw. 1, was unhappily ſlain in a Skirmiſh with the Welch near Angleſea: He married Iſabel, one of the Daughters and Coheirs of Robert de Vipont, a great Baron in the North.

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This Lady in her Widowhood sat in Person as Sheriffs of Westmoreland, at the Bench at Appleby, with the Judges; and brought great Possessions in that County to the Clifford Family: They had an only Son,

[5th Ld.] ROBERT, who, in the 14th of Edw. 1, succeeded his Grandfather, and was in great Favour with that King, and also with his Successor, who constituted him Earl-Marshal of England, and Governor of Nottingham-Castle: He was one of the Lords that laid Siege to Scarborough-Castle, out of which they took the King's Favourite, Piers Gaveston, whom they put to Death, for which they had afterwards the King's Pardon; and being in the Wars in Scotland, was slain in Bannocks-Bourn, June 25, 1314, being forty-one Years old: He married Maud, Daughter and Coheir to Thomas de Clare, second Son of Richard Earl of Gloucester, who by him had two Sons, and a Daughter, Idonia, married to Henry Lord Percy, and was Grandmother of the first Earl of Northumberland. Of the Sons,

[6th Ld.] ROGER, the eldest, dying unmarried, was succeeded by

[7th Ld.] ROBERT, who married Isabel, only Daughter to Maurice Berkley, Lord of Berkley-Castle, by whom he had three Sons, Robert, Roger, and Thomas; and she, being left a Widow, bequeathed a Mansion in St. Dunstan's Parish, Fleet-Street, to the Prentices of the Bench, by which Name the Students at Law were then called, and which is still called Clifford's-Inn. From Sir Thomas descended Richard Clifford, Bishop of Worcester in 1401, and translated to London in 1407; and, being afterwards a Cardinal, was nominated to the Papacy; but himself named Cardinal Columna, who thereupon was immediately elected.

[8th Ld.] ROBERT, the eldest Brother, succeeded his Father at thirteen Years of Age, and at sixteen served at the Battle of Cressy, and afterwards at Poitiers: He married Eufemia, Sister to Ralph Nevil, the first Earl of Westmoreland, his first Cousin; and, dying without Issue,

[9th Ld.]

[9th Ld.] ROGER, his Brother, succeeded: He died July 13, 1390, leaving Issue by Maud, Daughter to Thomas Beauchamp Earl of Warwick, Thomas, his Son and Heir, and two Daughters; Mary, married to Sir Philip Wentworth of Nettlested, Ancestor to the Lord Wentworth of Nettlested; and —, to Sir John Melton, Kt.

[10th Ld.] THOMAS, succeeding, was a Knight of the King's Chamber, and Governor of Carlisle-Castle: He married Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to Thomas Lord Roos of Hamlake, by whom he left Issue.

[11th Ld.] JOHN, his Son and Heir, who succeeded his Father in the third Year of his Age; Sir William, who died without Issue; and Sir Lewis, from whom descended the Lord Clifford of Chudleigh, and those of Kent and Wiltshire; and a Daughter, Maud, second Wife of Richard Earl of Cambridge, and afterwards Wife of John Nevil, Lord Latimer: Which John Lord Clifford, on the 3d of May, the 9th of Hen. 5, was created a Kt of the Garter, and was slain at the Siege of Meaux in France the 13th of March following, being about thirty-three Years of Age: He married Elizabeth, Daughter to Henry Percy, commonly called Hotspur, (by his Wife Elizabeth, eldest Daughter of Edmund Mortimer, third Earl of March, by his Wife Philippa Plantagenet, only Daughter and Heir to Lionel Duke of Clarence, second Son of King Edw. 3,) by whom he had Thomas, his Son and Heir, born in 1415, the 2d of Hen. 5; Henry, who died without Issue; and Mary, married to Sir Philip Wentworth, Kt, Ancestor to the Lords Wentworth, and to the Earls of Strafford.

[12th Ld.] THOMAS, Lord Clifford, taking Part with Hen. 5, was slain in the Battle of St. Alban's, May 22, 1454, aged forty: He married Joan, Daughter of Thomas Lord Dacres of Gillefland, and had Issue by her John, his Son and Heir, born the 8th of April, 13th Hen. 6, Roger, Robert, Thomas, Elizabeth, Maud, Anne, Joan, married to Sir Simon Musgrave of Hartley-Castle in Westmoreland, from whom the Musgraves of that Place are descend-

ed; and Margaret, married to Robert Carre of Slesford in Lincolnshire, from whom the Carres of that Place are descended.

[13th Ld.] JOHN succeeded his Father as Lord Clifford, and in 1460, upon the Rebellion of Richard Earl of Salisbury, had the Custody of the Castle of Penrith in Cumberland; and in the 39th of Hen. 6, being in the Battle of Wakefield, and siding with the King, who gained the Victory, he is said to have made so great a Slaughter, that he was from that Time called the Butcher; but, still remaining firm to the House of Lancaster, he was slain on Palm-Sunday, March 29, 1461, the 1st of Edw. 4, at the Battle of Towton in Yorkshire; leaving by Margaret Bromfielde, Daughter and sole Heir of Henry Lord Bromfielde, Baron Vescy, Henry, his Son and Heir, Richard, and Elizabeth. This Lord and his Father ever espoused the Cause of the House of Lancaster, in which they both fell: He, endeavouring to force a Passage for King Henry the 6th's Army, was shot in the Throat by an headless Arrow, of which Wound he instantly died, being in the twenty-sixth Year of his Age, three Months after he had stabbed to the Heart the young Edmund Plantagenet, Earl of Rutland, fourth Son of Richard Duke of York.

[14th Ld.] HENRY succeeded his Father as Lord Clifford; and his Mother, being by Birth Baroness Vescy, brought the Title of Baron Vescy to the Cliffords, and also Laneshorough-House, and other Estates; and, the House of York prevailing, he was, when about seven Years old, disguised in the mean Habit of a Shepherd's Boy, to prevent his falling into their Hands, who probably would have revenged themselves on the Son of a Man, who had rendered himself so odious to them by killing the young Earl of Rutland. In that Condition he lived, without any Education, even so much as learning to write, lest it might make a Discovery of him. He was restored in Blood and Honour, at thirty-two Years of Age, in the first Parliament of Hen. 7, and to all his Baronies, &c. his Father having been attainted in the 1st of Edw. 4. In the Reign of Hen. 7, he was principal

tipal Commander againft the Scots, when they were defeated at Flodden, and their King ſlain: He married Anne, only Daughter of Sir John St. John of Bletſo, who, by the Half-Blood, was Couſin-German to K. Henry 7, her Father being Half-Brother to that King's Mother. He had Iſſue by her three Sons and four Daughters; 1. Henry, born in 1493; 2. Thomas, who was Governor of Berwick-Caſtle; 3. Edward; 4. Mabel; 5. Eleanor; 6. Anne; 7. Joan, from which laſt the Family of Bowes in Yorkſhire is deſcended. He married, ſecondly, Florence, Daughter of ——— Pudſey, and by her had two Sons, who died young, and one Daughter, Dorothy, married to Sir Hugh Lowther.

[15th Ld and firſt Earl.] HENRY ſucceeded his Father as Lord Clifford in 1525, and on the 18th of June, the ſame Year, was created Earl of Cumberland: He married, firſt, Margaret, Daughter of George, fourth Earl of Shrewſbury, who died ſoon without Iſſue; ſecondly, Margaret Percy, Daughter of Henry, fifth Earl of Northumberland, by Eleanor, Daughter of Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerſet; ſo that ſhe was lineally deſcended from John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaſter. He was inſtalled Kt of the Garter, May 17, 1537, and was in great Favour with Hen. 8, who recommended Henry Lord Clifford, the Earl's eldeſt Son, to the Lady Eleanor, his Couſin; which Marriage was conſumated in the 27th Year of his Reign, at the Houſe of her Father, Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk, the King being preſent at their Nuptials: Her Mother was Mary, the French Queen, ſecond Daughter of King Hen. 7. The Earl died the 22d of April, 1542, leaving a Daughter, Catherine, married firſt to John Lord Scrope of Harley-Bolton, and ſecondly to Sir Richard Cholmondeley of Thornton and Raxby, Kt; and

[16th Ld and 2d Earl.] HENRY, his Son and Heir, then twenty-five Years of Age: He was made Kt of the Bath at ſixteen Years of Age, at the Coronation of Queen Anna Bullen: His Lady died in Nov. 1547; her Iſſue Male dying in their Infancy, ſhe left only one Daughter, the Lady

Margaret, afterwards Countess of Derby, from whom James late Earl of Derby was descended: He married, secondly, Anne, Daughter of William Lord Dacres of Gilleland, by whom he had George Clifford, Earl of Cumberland, and Lady Frances Clifford, married to Philip Lord Wharton, from whom the late Duke of Wharton descended; and two Daughters, who died young. And~

[17th Ld and 3d Earl.] GEORGE, their Brother, succeeding his Father, who died Jan. 8, 1569, married Lady Margaret Russel, third and youngest Daughter of Francis Russel, Earl of Bedford, on the 24th of June, 1577, at St. Mary Overy's Church, Southwark; and at the same Time Lady Frances, his Sister, married Philip Lord Wharton, Queen Elizabeth honouring the Wedding with her Presence. By this Lady he had two Sons, who both died very young, and a Daughter, Anne, his sole Heir to the Baronies of Clifford, Westmoreland, and Vescy; afterwards Countess of Dorset and Pembroke: And dying Oct. 30, 1605,

[18th Ld and 4th Earl.] FRANCIS, his Brother, became the 4th Earl of Cumberland: He married Grifold, Daughter of Thomas Hughes of Uxbridge, Esq; Widow of Edward Nevil, Lord Abergavenny, who died June 6, 1613, and left Issue

[19th Ld and 5th Earl.] HENRY Earl of Cumberland; Margaret, who was married to Sir Thomas Wentworth, Kt and Bart, afterwards Earl of Strafford; and Frances, second Wife to Sir Gervase Clifton, Kt and Bart: He died Dec. 11, 1641: To whom succeeded

[20th Ld and 6th Earl.] HENRY, his only Son, who, in 1610, married Lady Frances Cecil, only Daughter to Robert Earl of Salisbury, by whom he left Issue an only Daughter, Elizabeth, his Heir, born Sept. 1613, married July 5, 1635, to Richard Boyle, Lord Viscount Dungarvon, Son and Heir to Richard Earl of Cork in Ireland, who, succeeding his Father in the Dignity of Earl of Cork, was, by Letters Patent bearing Date Nov. 4, 20 Car. 1, created Lord Clifford of Laneshorough; from whom the late Earl of BURLINGTON was descended. The Title of

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Earl of Cumberland became extinct by the Death of Henry above-mentioned ; but the Baronies of Clifford, Weſtmoreland, and Veſcy, deſcended to the Lady ANNE, ſole Daughter and Heir of George Earl of Cumberland, before-mentioned, as Dignities which had their firſt Riſe by Summons of her Anceſtors to Parliament, and by Virtue of the Intail the Inheritance of thoſe Caſtles and Lands lineally deſcended to her.

This noble Lady was born Jan. 30, 1589, and married Feb. 25, 1608-9, to Richard Sackville, Lord Buckhurſt, Son and Heir of Robert Earl of Dorſet ; who ſucceeded to that Title two Days after, by the Death of his Father. He died March 28, 1624, and had Iſſue three Sons, who died Infants, and two Daughters ; Lady MARGARET, born July 2, 1614, married April 21, 1629, to John Tuſton, Earl of Thanet ; and Lady Iſabella, born Oct. 6, 1622, married July 5, 1647, to James Compton, Earl of Northampton.

The Counteſs of Dorſet, in 1628, laid Claim to the Barony of Clifford ; and the Hearing of her Petition was appointed for the following Session ; but there was no further Proceedings on it.

Her Ladyſhip married, ſecondly, on the 3d of July, 1630, Philip Herbert, Earl of Pembroke, who died Jan. 23, 1649-50, without Iſſue by her. This Lady, among many noble Reverſions, enjoyed the Borough of Appleby. Sir Joſeph Williamſon, Secretary of State to K. Charles 2, wrote to her to name a Candidate for that Borough, to which the Counteſs returned this brave laconic Answer : *I have been bullied by an Uſurper, I have been neglected by a Court, but I will not be dictated to by a Subject : Your Maſſa'n't ſtand.* On her Decease, the Baronies of Clifford, Weſtmoreland, and Veſcy, devolved (no Iſſue remaining from Iſabella, her youngſt Sister) on her Grandſon, THOMAS, Earl of Thanet ; who bringing his Claim before the Houſe of Peers, their Lordſhips reſolved, Dec. 12, 1691, *That Thomas Earl of Thanet is the ſole, lineal, and right Heir to Robert de Clifford, firſt ſummoned to Parliament as Lord*

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de Clifford, dated Dec. 29, 28 Edw. 1, and that the ſaid Title doth of Right belong to the ſaid Earl of Thanet and his Heirs.

And his Maſteſty, on the 13th of Aug. 1734, was pleaſed to confirm to the Lady MARGARET, third Daughter of the ſaid Earl, and Wiſe of Thomas, late Earl of Leiſceſter, the Barony of Clifford, with all Privileges, &c. thereto belonging; and her Ladyſhip had one only Son, Edward, Viſc. Coke, who died in 1753, and her Huſband, the Earl of Leiſceſter, died in April, 1759, upon which the Title of Earl of Leiſceſter became extinct; and, upon the Death of her Ladyſhip without Iſſue, the Title of the Barony of Clifford muſt alſo be extinct.

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Cheque Topaz and Sapphire; a Feſs Ruby.

MURRAY, Lord STRANGE.

VII. **T**HE Right Honourable James Murray, Lord Strange, Lord of the Iſle of Man; alſo Duke of Athol in Scotland, and Knight of the moſt ancient Order of the Thiſtle.

Baron Strange of the Knokyn in the County of Salop, by Summons, Nov. 15, 1482; originally Dec. 29, 1299, 28 Edw. 1, the ſame Day as Baroneſs Clifford.

The Deſcent of this noble Duke the Reader will find at large under the Title of Duke of Athol in the Scotch Compendium; and that James Stanley, late Earl of Derby, dying without Iſſue, the Barony of Strange, and the Lordſhip of the Iſle of Man devolved on his Grace James Murray, Duke of Athol in Scotland, Son and Heir of John Duke of Athol, Son and Heir of John Marquis of Athol, by the Lady Amelia-Sophia, his Wiſe, Daughter of James Lord Strange, ſeventh Earl of Derby, deſcended from Thomas the firſt Earl of Derby, who marrying Joan, Daughter and

and Heir to John Lord Strange of Knokyn, had thereupon Summons to Parliament as Lord Strange: His Grace, who was elected one of the Sixteen Peers of Scotland in 1734, took his Place in the House of Peers as Lord Strange, March 14, 1736-7.

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Quarterly, first Azure, three Mulletts Argent, within a double Tressure flowered and counter-flowered, Or, for Murray. Second, Grand Quarterly, 1st and 4th Topaz, a Fez Checque, Pearl and Sapphire, for Stewart: 2d and 3d Pally of six Topaz and Diamond, for the Title of Athol. Third Quarter Ruby, three Legs, armed proper, conjoined in the Center, at the upper Part of the Thighs, flexed in Triangle, garnished and spurred, Topaz, for Lord of the Isle of Man. Fourth Quarter Argent, on a Bend Azure, three Bucks caboshed, Or, for Stanley.

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A Demi-Savage, holding in his dexter Hand a Dagger proper, in his sinister a Key, Or.

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On the dexter Side a Lion rampant Gules, collared Azure, charged with three Mulletts Argent; on the sinister a Savage proper, wreathed about the Loins with Laurel.

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Furth Fortune and fill the Fetters.

P E R C Y, Baroness *P E R C Y*.

VIII. **T**HE Right Honourable Elizabeth Percy, Baroness Percy, and Countess of Northumberland. Summoned to Parliament as Baron Percy, in 1377, 1st of Richard 2.

The learned Cambden, in his *Britannia*, says, That this Family of Percy, which is descended from the Earls of Brabant, inherited, together with the Surname of Percy, the Possessions also of Percy, ever since that Josceline of Lo-vain, younger Son of Godfrey Duke of Brabant, the true Issue of the Emperor Charles the Great, by Gerberga, the Daughter of Charles, a younger Brother to Lothar, the last King of France, of the Line of Charles, took to Wife AGNES, the Daughter and sole Heir of William Percy. Between this Agnes and Josceline it was covenanted; that he should assume the Name of Percy, and retain the ancient Arms of Brabant (which the Brabanters afterwards changed) viz. A Lion Azure, in a Shield Or.

RICHARD, their eldest Son, succeeded to his Mother's Inheritance, and was one of the Barons who were in Arms against King John, and in the Reign of Hen. 3 was in Arms for that King: He died without Issue, as did his Brothers, Robert and Josceline. But HENRY succeeded his Brother in the Inheritance: He married Isabel, Daughter of Adam, and Sister of Peter de Brus of Skelton, with whom he had in Marriage, by the Gift of the said Peter, the Manor of Lockinfield near Beverley in Yorkshire; for which he and his Heirs were to repair to Skelton-Castle every Christmas-Day, and lead the Lady of the Castle from her Chamber to the Chapel to Mass, and thence to her Chamber again, and, after Dinner with her, to depart. He left Issue two Sons, WILLIAM and Henry; the former of which, after the Death of Agnes his Grandmother, and Henry his Father, succeeded to the greatest Part of the Inheritance. He died in 29 Hen. 3, having married two Wives; first, Ellen, Daughter of the Lord Bardolph; and secondly, Joan, fifth Daughter of William de Brewer, a great Baron, and Sister and Heir of William de Brewer, jun. and Widow of Ralph Fitz-Ranulph, Lord of Middleham. By his first Wife he had seven Sons; 1. Henry, Lord Percy, his Heir; 2. Allan de Percy, who died without Issue; 3. Richard de Percy; 4. William, who had Issue Simon; 5. Geoffery de Percy, who died without Issue;

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HENRY, the eldeſt, married Eleanor, Daughter of John Earl of Warren and Surry, by whom he had Iſſue three Sons ; of which William and John died without Iſſue, and HENRY, the youngeſt, became Heir. He was engaged in the Wars againſt Scotland under K. Edward 1, who, in Conſideration of his great and faithful Services, granted him all the Lands which did by Inheritance belong to Ingelram de Umfranvil, then in Rebellion. On the Pope's interpoſing in the Affairs of that King, he was one of the great Barons, who ſigned that memorable Letter to Pope Boniface, that their King was not to answer in Judgment for any Rights of the Crown of England before any Tribunal under Heaven, and that, by the Help of God, they would reſolutely, and with all their Force, maintain againſt all Men. He married Eleanor, Daughter of Richard Fitz-Alan Earl of Arundel, by whom he had two Sons, Henry, and William, who was made a Kt of the Bath the 20th of Edw. 2 : And he, dying the 8th of Edw. 2, left HENRY, his Son and Heir, then ſixteen Years of Age ; which Henry, the 15th of Edw. 2, was made Governor of the Caſtle of Pickering in Yorkſhire, by the Forfeiture of Thomas Earl of Lancaſter, then in the Crown ; as alſo of Scarborough Town and Caſtle : He obtained from K. Edw. 3 the Inheritance of the Caſtle of Warkworth, and attended that King in his Expedition into Scotland. In the 12th of Edw. 3, the King, going abroad, and having appointed Edward the Black Prince Regent, conſtituted him one of the Prince's Council : And in the 17th of the ſame Reign he embarked with the King for Bretagne, and landing near Vannes, laid Siege thereto with one Part of his Army, and himſelf with the reſt laid Siege to Nants. In the 19th, the Scots having invaded England with an Army of 36000 Men, under the Command of William Douglafs, and burnt Carlisle, Penrith, and many other Places, upon the Advance of this Lord Percy, with the Lords Nevil and Lucy, they fled. In the 20th, they again invaded England, whiſt the King

King was at the Siege of Calais: Whereupon, he was Chief of the Northern Barons that gave them Battle upon a Moor near Durham, and, having vanquished their whole Army, took David their King Prisoner; in Consideration of which laudable Service, the King signified to him, That after his Thanks to God for the many Benefits bestowed on him and his Subjects, in the deepest Sense of Gratitude, he acknowledges himself and Subjects bound to him for his approved Loyalty and Valour, beseeching him to be vigilant against the Enemy in those Parts. He died Feb. 26, 1353, leaving Issue by Idonea, Daughter of Robert Lord Clifford, five Sons, viz. Henry, his Heir, then thirty Years of Age, Thomas, Bishop of Norwich, William, Roger, and Richard; also four Daughters, Maud, the Wife of John Lord Nevil; Eleanor, of John Lord Fitzwalter; Isabel, of William de Aton; and Margaret, first of Robert Umfraville, Son of Gilbert Earl of Arques, and afterwards of William de Ferrers.

HENRY, in the 20th of Edw. 3, was with the King at the Battle of Cressy: He married first Mary, Daughter of Henry Earl of Lancaster, second Son of King Henry 3, by Blanch, his Wife, Daughter of Robert Earl of Artois, Brother of St. Lewis, King of France, and Widow of Henry King of Navarre; by which Marriage he had Issue two Sons, Henry and Thomas: And by his second Wife, Joan, had a Daughter Mary, who died at two Years old. He died on Ascension-Day, 42 Edw. 3. His two Sons became very eminent: Henry, the eldest, was created Earl of Northumberland; and Thomas, the youngest, Earl of Worcester. The latter was, in the 2d of Richard 2, Admiral of the Northern Seas. In the 9th of the same Reign, he went into Spain in the King's Service, under the Command of John King of Castile. In the 10th, he was made Admiral of the Fleet sent into Spain, with John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster, called King of Castile and Leon, in Right of his Wife Constance, then going to recover her Inheritance. In the 13th of this Reign, he was constituted Justice of South-Wales, and the same Year, being Vice-Chamberlain

lain to the King, had a Grant of the Castle of Emelin in South-Wales; and was one of the Peers who sent a Letter to the Pope about the Exorbitancies and Encroachments of the Apostolical See. He was also Steward to the King's Household; and sent Ambassador to France: And, on the 29th of Sept. 21st Rich. 2, he was advanced to the Title of Earl of Worcester. Upon the Deposal of this King, Henry 4. sent this Earl, with the Bishop of Durham, and Sir Thomas Percy, his Ambassadors into France, to represent the same to the King; and he was also employed by him in other Expeditions and Ambassies; but the next Year, notwithstanding all the Favours bestowed on him by King Henry, his Heart commiserated the Fate of his old Master, he deserted the Prince's Household, which the King had committed to his Trust, fled to his Brother, the Earl of Northumberland, and joined with his Nephew, Hotspur, then in Arms; and, a Battle ensuing, it concluded in a total Rout of all their rebellious Forces, among which, Hotspur, their General, was slain: And this Earl, being taken Prisoner, was soon after beheaded at Shrewsbury, and his Head set upon London-Bridge.

[1st Earl.] HENRY, his eldest Brother, who was created Earl of Northumberland, was a great Favourer of Wickliff, for which he was in great Danger of his Life. In the 51st of Edw. 3, he was General of the Forces sent to Calais, &c. in France, then in the King's Possession: And being present, as Earl-Marshal of England, at the Coronation of K. Rich. 2, July 16, 1377, he was advanced to the Dignity of Earl of Northumberland, and had a special Grant, that the Lands of which he stood seized, or did afterwards purchase, should be held *sub Honore Comitatus*, and as a Parcel of his Earldom. He had several Employments under this King; but in the 21st of his Reign, on Information given, that he, and his Son Henry, commonly called *Hotspur*, had spoken in Derogation of the King, he was sent for out of the North, and, neglecting to come, was banished the Kingdom, his Estate seized, and himself and his Associates proclaimed Traitors. The Earl and his Friends
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having suffered greatly on Suspicion only, were the forward-
 est to set the Crown on another Head, which might govern
 them with greater Prudence, as well as Mercy. He there-
 fore set up Henry Duke of Lancaster, Son of John of
 Gaunt, fourth Son of Edw. 3, who was then in France,
 banished by the King. The Duke, with only a small Guard,
 landed in Yorkshire the Beginning of July, where he was
 received by the Earl of Northumberland, and his Son Sir
 Henry Percy, and many others; and in a few Days their
 Army encreased to near 60000: In Consequence of which,
 the Parliament, on the Feast of St. Michael, deposed the
 King, and the Day after elected the Duke of Lancaster
 King, by the Name of Hen. 4; who, acknowledging the
 extraordinary Merits of the Earl, advanced him to the great
 Office of Constable of England. In the 3d of Hen. 4, the
 Scots invading England, the Earl and his valiant Son raised
 a considerable Power, and, giving them Battle at Halwe-
 don-Hill, obtained a signal Victory. Our Historians re-
 late, that the King, not satisfied with the Peace which fol-
 lowed the Earl's Conquest, was eager to share in the Gains
 with them; and therefore demanded of the Earl all his most
 profitable Prisoners, whose Redémption would raise great
 Sums; which being refused by the Earl, the King not on-
 ly took the Prisoners, but refused admitting the Earl to his
 Presence. The Earl, who had been the great Instrument of
 raising K. Henry to the Throne, resented this Severity to
 him, not only as a great Injustice, but as great Ingratitude,
 and therefore resolved to revenge his Wrongs on the King
 himself. Hereupon, joining with Edmund Mortimer, Earl
 of March, and Owen Glendour, they obliged themselves by
 Indenture Tripartite to depose the King, and raised a large
 and well-appointed Army. The King, considering that a
 Civil War would hurt his Subjects, chose to allay their
 Discontents, alledged that their Complaints were groundless,
 and, to avoid the Effusion of Blood, offered them Pardon on
 their own Terms: And Lord Percy was so far wrought
 upon, that he was willing to submit to the King, and sent
 his Uncle, the Earl of Worcester, to represent their Griev-
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ances; who having procured a Conference, the King condescended to heal the Breach: But the Earl of Worcester represented Things so ill to the Lord Percy at his Return, that he was more incensed than before, and forthwith blew the Trumpet for Battle. The King was ready to receive them, and the Battle begun, which lasted three Hours, and the King's Side gained a compleat Victory. The Lord Percy, called Sir Henry Hotspur, was slain, and the Earl of Worcester was taken and beheaded, as before-mentioned. The Earl of Northumberland, who, by Indisposition, had been kept from joining his Brother and Son, upon Assurances of Mercy, dismissed his Forces, and attended the King at York, who pardoned him his Life, but deprived him of his Honours and Estate for the present, and kept him Prisoner till the Ferment was over, yet afterwards restored him to his Honours and Lands: But the Loss of his Son, and finding himself much slighted by the King, so enraged him, that he took the Advantage of the Discontents of Thomas Mowbray, Earl-Marshal, and Richard Scrope, Archbishop of York, and joined with them in their Rebellion. The King pursued them, assaulted Berwick, Alnwick, Warkworth, and several other Castles that belonged to the Earl, which, being surrendered, put an End to the Rebellion. The Earl went into France and Flanders to get Aid against the King; but, meeting with no Success, he returned again to Scotland; and, by the Assistance of that Nation, entering England, recovered many of his own Lordships and Castles, before the King could get his Army together: But Sir Ralph Rokesby, High-Sheriff of Yorkshire, having raised the Posse Comitatus to stop their Progress, resolutely encountered the Earl and his Party at Bramham-Moor, on the 2d of March, the 8th of Hen. 4; and, the Earl being slain, they cut off his Head then white with Age, and sent it to London to be set on the Bridge; and, quartering his Body, placed one Quarter on a Gate in London, another at Lincoln, a third at Berwick, and the fourth at Newcastle; but in May following they were taken down, and, by the King's special Precept, delivered
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to his Friends to be buried. This great Earl married first Margaret, Daughter to Ralph Lord Nevil, Sister to Ralph first Earl of Westmoreland; secondly, Maud, Sister and Heir to Anthony Lord Lucy, and Widow of Gilbert de Umfranville, Earl of Anegos: He joined with her in settling the Castle and Honour of Cockermouth, with a large Proportion besides of her great Inheritance, upon himself and her, and the Heirs Male of their two Bodies, and for Want of such Issue, to the Heirs of her Body; and, in Case she should die without Issue, then to Henry Lord Percy, his Son and Heir, by his first Wife, and to the Heirs Male of his Body, upon Condition that he the said Henry, and the Heirs Male of his Body, should bear the Arms of Percy, viz. *Or, a Lion rampant, Azure*, quarterly with the Arms of Lucy, viz. *Gules, three Lucies, Argent*, in all Shields, Banners, Ensigns, and Coats of Arms whatever; and in Failure of of Male Issue, then to Sir Thomas Percy, Brother to the Earl, and Uncle to Henry, and the Heirs Male of his Body; in Failure of which, then to Sir Thomas Percy, second Son of the Earl, with Remainder to Sir Ralph Percy, third Son of the Earl, and the Heirs Male of his Body; which Agreement was made in the Presence of the King, and by his special Command. By his last Wife he had no Issue; but by his first the three Sons above-mentioned; of which, Sir Thomas married Elizabeth, Daughter and Co-heir of David de Strabolgy, Earl of Athol, and by her had one Son, Sir Henry Percy, who left Issue two Daughters, his Heirs, viz. Elizabeth, married to Thomas Burgh, Esq; Ancestor to the Lord Burgh, and afterwards to Sir William Lucy, Kt; and Margaret, first to Henry Lord Grey of Codnoure, and secondly to Sir Richard Vere, Kt. Sir Ralph died without Issue.

HENRY, Lord Percy, the eldest Son, at the Coronation of K. Rich. 2, was knighted at the same Time his Father was made an Earl, and had several Commands under that King. In the 11th of his Reign, the Scots invading this Realm upon the East Marches, and doing great Spoil by Burning and Plunder, he, encountering them, slew the Earl

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of Douglass with his own Hand, and mortally wounded the Earl of Murray; but, pressing forward, was at length taken Prisoner by the Earl of Dunbar, together with his Brother Ralph, and carried into Scotland. Froissard relateth this Skirmish, as follows: "Among others, saith he, there fought, Hand to Hand, Earl Douglass and Sir Henry Percy, and by Force of Arms the Earl won Sir Henry's Penon: Whereupon Sir Henry, and all the English were sore displeased; the Earl saying to him, Sir, I shall bear this Token of your Prowess into Scotland; and set it on high on my Castle of Alquest, that it may be seen afar off: Which so provoked the Percy's, that, after divers bold Adventures against the Scots Forces, at length they obtained the Victory, and slew the Earl James Douglass; but Sir Ralph Percy was therein wounded, and taken Prisoner by a Scotch Knight." After this, in another Encounter, Sir Henry, fighting valiantly with the Lord Mountcumber, was by him taken Prisoner. But he continued in that Restraint but a short Time, being in the 12th of this Reign at Calais, from whence he went to Brest, where he raised the Siege of that Place. But this stout, high-spirited Lord, through the Solicitations of his Uncle, Thomas Earl of Worcester, conspiring against the King, came to a fatal End, as is before recited. His Body, by the King's Permission, was buried, but was afterwards taken up and quartered. By Elizabeth, eldest Daughter to Edmund Mortimer, Earl of March, he left one Son, Henry, and a Daughter, Elizabeth, married first to John Lord Clifford, and afterwards to Ralph Nevil, the second Earl of Westmoreland.

[2d Earl.] HENRY, in the second Year of the Reign of K. Hen. 5, was restored to his Grandfather's Honours; and in the 3d Year of that King, in regard that his Brother John, Duke of Bedford, had Possession of his whole Inheritance, he gave unto the Duke, in Recompence thereof, an Annuity of 3000 Marks. In the 4th of Hen. 5, he sat in Parliament as Earl of Northumberland, and the same Year was made General Warden of the Marches

in Scotland. In the 9th of Hen. 5, the King, in Consideration of his special Services, granted him the Government of the Town of Berwick upon Tweed for two Years, with a Stipend of 5000*l.* per Ann. in Time of War, and 2500*l.* in Time of Peace; before the Expiration of which the King died. In the 3d of Hen. 6, he, for the better Confirmation of the Dignity of Earl of Northumberland, obtained a Charter of Creation thereto. In the 33d of Hen. 6, this Earl, gratefully remembering the good Offices and Favours conferred on him by K. Henry 5, continued loyal to his Son, and was a stout Assertor of the Lancastrian Interest: He lost his Life in the Battle of St. Alban, May 23, and was buried in the Chapel of our Lady in the Abbey-Church there. He left Issue by Eleanor, Daughter of Ralph Earl of Westmoreland, and Widow of Richard Lord Spencer, nine Sons and two Daughters; 1. Henry, who succeeded him; 2. John, who died in his Infancy; 3. Sir Thomas, created Lord Egremont, 28 Hen. 6, who was slain valiantly fighting for that King, in the Battle of Northampton, July 10, 1460, and, being unmarried, the Title became extinct; 4. Sir Ralph died unmarried at the Battle of Heggelamore in Northumberland; John and Henry, 5th and 6th Sons, died young; 7. William was Chancellor of the University of Cambridge, and Bishop of Carlisle; 8. Sir Richard married Catherine, Daughter to Sir Humphry Nevil of Thornton-Bridge, Widow of William Fairfax, Esq; Ancestor by her of the Viscount Fairfax in Ireland; and, 9. George was a Prebendary in the Collegiate Church of Beverly: The Daughters were Catherine, Wife of Edmund Grey, Earl of Kent; and Anne, married first to Sir Thomas Hungerford, Kt, and 2dly to Sir Hugh Vaughan, Kt.

[3d Earl.] HENRY, the eldest Son, was knighted with K. Hen. 6, by the Duke of Bedford, when but two Years old, and the King not five Years old; and, in the 20th of that Reign, he was made Governor of the Town and Castle of Berwick. He married Eleanor, Daughter and sole Heir of Richard Poynings, who died in the Life-time of his Father, Robert Lord Poynings, whose Heir she also was; which

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which Robert was Son of Richard Lord Poynings and Isabel his Wife, Daughter and Heir to Robert Lord Fitz-Pain, and also Heir to Elizabeth her Mother, Daughter and Heir of Sir Guy de Brian, Kt, Son and Heir of Guy Baron Brian, who bore for his Arms three Piles Azure, and thereupon had Livery of all the Castles, Manors, and Lands, which were of the Inheritance of the Poynings, Fitz-Pain, and Brian, and had Summons to Parliament as Lord Poynings, during his Father's Life-time. He was slain in the Battle of Towton, fighting for K. Hen. 6; and K. Edw. 4 conferred his Earldom on John Nevil, Lord Montagu, Brother to Richard Earl of Warwick and Salisbury. He had, by Eleanor his Wife before-mentioned, Henry, his Heir, and three Daughters; Elizabeth, married to Henry Lord Scrope of Bolton, whose Daughter, Joan, married John Lord Lumley, Ancestor of the Earl of Scarborough; Eleanor, to Reginald West, Lord De La War; and Margaret to Sir William Gascoigne of Gauthorpe in the C. of York, Kt; and their Daughter Anne became the Wife of Sir Thomas Fairfax, Ancestor of the Viscounts Fairfax in Ireland.

[4th Earl.] HENRY being in his Minority when his Father was slain, the King ordered him into Custody in the Tower of London, till Oct. 27, 1469, when he came before him at his Palace at Westminster, and took an Oath to be his true Subject and Liegeman; whereupon the King, by Word of Mouth, discharged the Constable of the Tower from any further Custody of him the said Henry Percy: And, as Leland writes, the King, suspecting the Fidelity of John Lord Montagu, whom he had created Earl of Northumberland, privately incited the People of the North to desire the Restoration of this young Henry Percy, knowing his Interest there, whereby he might be a Competitor against him: But, that the Lord Montagu might not fly out, he created him Marquis of Montagu. In the 12th of Edw. 4, in the Parliament held at Westminster, Oct. 6, he was restored in Blood to the Earldom of Northumberland, and to all such Hereditaments of Henry Percy, late Earl, as

came to the King's Hands, and the Attainder againſt the ſaid Earl was made void. In the 14th of the ſame Reign, he was made a Kt of the Garter. In the firſt of Rich. 3, he was made Lord High Chamberlain of England; and was of the Privy-Council to K. Henry 7, on his Acceſſion to the Throne, and Warden of the Marches in the North. He married Maud, Daughter to William Herbert, the firſt Earl of Pembroke of that Name, by whom he left Iſſue four Sons and three Daughters; Eleanor, Wife of Edward Strafford, Duke of Buckingham; Anne, Wife to William Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel; and Elizabeth, who died young: His Sons were Henry, his Succeſſor, Sir William, Allan, and Joſceline.

[5th Earl.] HENRY, the eldeſt, who was the 5th Earl of Northumberland, on Nov. 21, 5 Henry 7, was created Kt of the Bath with Arthur Prince of Wales. In the 12th of Hen. 7, he was one of the chief Commanders of the King's Forces at the Battle of Blackheath againſt the Lord Audley. He was alſo created a Kt of the Garter, and was one of the Commanders in the Engagement called, *The Battle of the Spurs*. He died in the 18th of Henry 8, and was buried at Beverly. He married Catherine, Daughter and Coheir of Sir Robert Spenſer, Kt, and Eleanor his Wife, Daughter, and at length Coheir, of Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerſet (alſo Siſter and Coheir to Henry and Edmund, her Brothers) by Elizabeth, his Wife, Daughter and Heir of Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick: By which Lady he had three Sons; Henry, his Succeſſor; Sir Thomas Percy, Kt, who was concerned in Aſk's Conſpiracy, for which he was executed at Tyburn, 29 Hen. 8; he married Eleanor, one of the Daughters and Heirs of Sir Guiſchard Harbottle, Kt, and was Anceſtor to the ſucceeding Earls of Northumberland: Sir Ingelram Percy, Kt, died without Iſſue: He had alſo two Daughters; Margaret, Wife of Henry Lord Clifford, the firſt Earl of Cumberland of that Name; and Maud, who was married to the Lord Conyers.

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[6th Earl.] HENRY, the succeeding Earl, who in his youthful Days was an Attendant on Cardinal Wolsey, took an Affection to Anna Bullen, which coming to the King's Ear, he ordered the Cardinal to dissuade the Lord Percy from it; and the Apprehension of the King's Displeasure having wrought that Impression on the Earl his Father, that he would take no Denial or Excuse, till he had made him renounce all Pretensions to her; which also he urged so far, as at length his Son consented to marry the Earl of Shrewsbury's Daughter. He was elected a Kt of the Garter, 24 Henry 8; and, on the Divorce of Anna Bullen, he denied any Precontract with her: He married Mary, fourth Daughter to George the fourth Earl of Shrewsbury; but died without Issue, at his House in Hackney, June 29, 29 Hen. 8, and was buried in the Church there. But, considering that his younger Brother, Sir Thomas Percy, had been attainted on Account of the Insurrection, as aforesaid; he gave away a great Part of his Lands to the King and others; and the Title of Earl of Northumberland lay dormant, till Queen Mary restored it to

[7th Earl.] THOMAS PERCY, Son of the said Sir Thomas, who, on the 30th of April, in the 3d and 4th of Philip and Mary, in Consideration of his noble Descent, Constancy, Virtues, Valour in Deeds of Arms, and other shining Qualifications (as the Words of the Patent import) was advanced to the Degree of a Baron, by the Title of Lord Percy, and the Day following to the Dignity of Earl of Northumberland. In the 5th of Queen Elizabeth, he was elected one of the Kts of the Garter: But, joining with others of the Romish Persuasion in Behalf of Mary Queen of Scots, he was beheaded at York, Aug. 22, 1572; avowing the Pope's Supremacy, affirming the Realm to be in a Schism, and that obedient Subjects to the Queen were no better than Hereticks. He married Anne, Daughter to Henry Somerset, the second Earl of Worcester, by whom he had Issue one Son, Thomas, who died young, and five Daughters; Elizabeth, the Wife of Richard Wodrove of Welley in the C. of York, Esq; Mary, of Sir Thomas Grey

of Wark in the C. of Northumberland, Kt; Lucy, of Sir Edward Stanley of Eynsham in the C. of Oxon, Kt of the Bath, whose Daughter Venetia married Sir Kenelm Digby of Gothurst, Son of Sir Thomas Stanley, Kt, Brother to Henry Earl of Derby; Jane, of Lord Henry Seymour, Brother to Edward Earl of Hertford; and Mary, Prioress of the English Nunnery at Brussels,

[8th Earl.] Sir HENRY PERCY, Kt, the Earl's younger Brother, was, by Virtue of an Intail made by Queen Mary, summoned to Parliament as Earl of Northumberland and Baron Percy, the 18th of Elizabeth. During the Life of his Brother, he had eminently distinguished himself against the Scots in the Reign of Queen Mary; and in the 12th of Elizabeth, on his Brother's Defection, he stood loyal to the Queen, till an End was put to the Rebellion. In the 27th of Elizabeth (as Camden writes) many being Friends to Mary Queen of Scots, and some attempting her Delivery, upon this many were brought into Suspicion; among the rest, this Earl, who was committed to the Tower, as suspected of conspiring with Throckmorton, the Lord Paget, and the Guises, to invade England, and set the Queen of Scots at Liberty. On Monday the 21st of June he was found dead in his Bed, shot with three Bullets near the left Pap, his Chamber being barred on the Inside. The Coroner's Inquest having viewed the Body, considered the Place, found the Pistol, with Gunpowder in the Chamber, and examining his Man that bought the Pistol, and him that sold it, gave their Verdict that he had killed himself. He married Catherine, eldest Daughter and Coheir of John Nevil, Lord Latimer, by whom he had Issue eight Sons; 1. Henry, his Successor; 2. and 3. Thomas and William, who died unmarried; 4. Sir Charles, who was knighted in France by Robert Earl of Essex in 1597, and married Dorothy, Daughter of Richard Cox of Cleve in the C. of Gloucester, Esq; 5. Sir Richard Percy, Kt; 6. Allan Percy, who was made a Kt of the Bath 1604, and married the Daughter and Heir of Sir John Fitz of Devonshire, but died without Issue; 7. Sir Josceline, who being concerned with Sir Charles his Brother in the Earl of Essex's Insurrection,

tion, they were both pardoned 44 Eliz. 8. George, who died unmarried: Also three Daughters, Anne, who died in her Infancy; Lucy, Wife first of Sir John Wotton, Brother of Edward Lord Wotton, and afterwards of Sir Hugh Owen of Anglesea; and Eleanor, who was married to Sir William Herbert, Kt of the Bath, who was created Lord Powis.

[9th Earl.] HENRY, the eldest Son, who succeeded his Father in his Estate and Honours, was one of the young Noblemen, who, on the memorable threatened Invasion of the Spaniards in 1588, hired Ships at their own Charge, and joined the grand Fleet of England, under Charles Lord Howard, Lord High-Admiral. In 1593, he was elected a Kt of the Garter. On the Discovery of the Gunpowder Plot, and Thomas Percy, a Kinsman of the Earl's, being concerned therein, and by him made one of the Band of Gentlemen Pensioners, and proved to be at Sion-House the Day before that inhuman Tragedy was to be acted, it occasioned infinite Trouble to him, and a long Imprisonment, although his Lordship was entirely innocent. However, on the 27th of June following, he was brought from the Tower to the Star-Chamber, before the Lord Chancellor, &c. and convicted of Misprision, &c. and adjudged to pay a Fine of 30,000*l.* and to be removed from being Captain of his Majesty's Band of Gentlemen Pensioners, and to remain Prisoner in the Tower of London during Life, for admitting Thomas Percy one of the Band, without ministering the Oath of Supremacy to him, knowing him to be a Papist; for not endeavouring to apprehend so dangerous a Traitor; and for giving him a Watch-Word and Intelligence for his further Flight and Escape. A more severe Sentence could not be passed, without bereaving him of his Life; and, without doubt, it much induced his Son Algernon, to espouse the Party that abolished the said tyrannical Court of Star-Chamber. It may be justly observed, that, as he was at first only confined to his House, he would undoubtedly have made his Escape, had he been conscious of the Guilt he was charged with. Although his Fine was

paid in 1614, yet it was not till the 18th of July, 1622, that he was discharged from the Tower, having lain there more than fifteen Years. In the 4th Year of K. Cha. 1, he obtained to himself and Heirs the Barony of Percy, in such Manner as his Ancestors had enjoyed the same, also his Place and Precedency. His Lordship married Dorothy, Daughter of Walter Devereux, Viscount Hereford, created Earl of Essex (Widow of Sir Thomas Perrot, Kt,) who was Son of Richard, eldest Son and Heir of Walter Viscount Hereford, Son and Heir of John Viscount Hereford, by Cicely Bouchier, Sister and Heir of Henry Bouchier, Earl of Essex, Son and Heir of William Earl of Essex, by Anne, his Wife, Daughter and Heir of Thomas of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester, sixth Son of King Edward 3: By which Lady he had Issue four Sons and two Daughters; Dorothy, born 1598, married to Robert Sidney, second Earl of Leicester, whose sixth Daughter, Elizabeth, married Philip the first Visc. Strangford in Ireland; and Lucy, married to James Hay, Earl of Carlisle: The Sons were Henry, and another Henry, who died in their Infancy, Algernon, his Successor, and another Henry, who was created at Oxford Lord Percy of Alnwick, June 28, 1643. He died unmarried.

[10th Ld.] ALGERNON, who succeeded, was made one of the Kts of the Bath in 1616, at the Creation of Charles Prince of Wales. On the Accession of K. Ch. 1, he was called by Writ to the House of Peers, by the Title of Lord Percy, and in 1632 succeeded his Father as Earl; and in May 1635 he was installed a Knight of the Garter, with great Magnificence, proceeding from Dorset-House in Salisbury-Court, to Windsor, in great Pomp and Glory, as Mr. Ashmole has observed, who has given an Account of the Cavalcade, and that it was the last in such a solemn Manner. In 1636, he had the Command of a royal Fleet of sixty Sail, and destroyed the Dutch Busses that were fishing on our Coasts: He first required them to forbear, and on their Refusal he took some and sunk others: Whereupon the Dutch sued to him to mediate with the King, that

that they might by Permission fish on our Coasts; and for that Summer agreed to give the King 30,000*l.* which was paid accordingly. After which Service he was constituted Lord High-Admiral of England, Mar. 30, 1637, and in 1639 Captain-General of the Army, then raised by the King upon his Expedition into Scotland; but, being taken with a dangerous Sickness, he could not enter on his Command, and the Want of his Service was very fatal to the King in the North. His Lordship married first Anne, Daughter of William Cecil, Earl of Salisbury (which Lady died Dec. 6, 1637) by whom he had four Daughters; Catherine and Dorothy, who died young; Anne, who was married to Philip Stanhope the second Earl of Chesterfield; and Elizabeth, to Arthur the first Earl of Essex: He married secondly Elizabeth, Daughter to Theophilus the second Earl of Suffolk, and by her, who survived him, had Issue Josceline, his only Son and Successor; also a Daughter, who died in her Infancy. His Lordship, dying Oct. 13, 1668, was buried at Petworth, and was succeeded in his Honours and Estate by his only Son,

[11th Earl.] JOSCELINE, the 11th Earl of Northumberland, who was designed by his Father to marry the Lady Audry, eldest Daughter and Coheir to Thomas Earl of Southampton, by his second Wife Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir of Francis Leigh, Earl of Chichester; but, the dying, he married the Lady Elizabeth, the youngest Daughter: Whereupon he was constituted in his Place Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the C. of Southampton. On the Death of his Father, he was made Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the C. of Sussex, and also Lord Lieutenant of the C. of Northumberland: But, travelling with his Countess into France and Italy, he died at Turin, May 21, 1670, and was interred at Petworth. His Lady afterwards married Ralph Duke of Montagu. He had Issue an only Son, Henry, who died an Infant, and two Daughters, Elizabeth, who was four Years old at his Decease, and Henrietta, who died soon after Baptism. Upon his Death, the Title of Earl of Northumberland became

extinct. But one James Percy, who came out of Ireland, having petitioned the Houſe of Peers, ſetting forth his Claim to the Title, their Lordſhips on Mar. 28, 1673, on his reſuſing to make appear any Probability towards the Claim, notwithstanding a Month's Time had been given him, and having heard the eldeſt Counteſs of Northumberland's Council, who charged the ſaid James Percy to be an Impoſtor, they reſolved that the Petition of the ſaid James Percy be diſmiſſed their Houſe. When rejeſted by the Lords, he carried on his Pretenſions at Common Law, but had no Succeſs, being generally reputed an Impoſtor.

The Title of Baroneſs Percy devolved on the before-mentioned ELIZABETH, only Daughter and Heir of the ſaid Joſceline. Her Ladyſhip was married, the latter End of 1679, to Henry Cavendiſh, Earl of Ogle, only Son and Heir to Henry Duke of Newcaſtle; and, by Agreement before Marriage, his Lordſhip bore the Name and Arms of Percy; but he died Nov. 1, 1680, and left her a Virgin-Widow, and very young. She was ſecondly claimed in Marriage by Thomas Thynne of Long-Leat in the County of Wilts, Eſq; who was on that Account murdered by the Contrivance of Count Coningsmark, Feb. 12, 1681. On the 30th of May, 1680, ſhe was married to Charles Seymour, Duke of Somerſet, both being under Age; and, by Articles before Marriage, his Grace was to take the Name and bear the Arms of Percy: But, when her Grace came of Age, ſhe releaſed him from that Agreement. He had Iſſue three Sons, and four Daughters, who lived to Maturity, viz. 1. ALGERNON, who, on the Death of his Mother, in Nov. 23, 1722, ſucceeded to the Baronies of Percy, Lucy, Poynings, Fitz-Pain, Brian, and Latimer; and, being ſummoned by Writ to the Houſe of Peers, took his Seat there as Lord Percy; 2. Lord Percy Seymour; and, 3. Lord Charles Seymour, who both died unmarried; Lady Elizabeth, married to Henry Earl of Thomond, who died without Iſſue; Lady Catherine, married to Sir William Wyndham, Father by her of Charles Earl of Egremont; Lady Anne, married to Peregrine Marquis of Carmarthen,

marthen, Son and Heir of the Duke of Leeds, by whom she had a Son, who died an Infant; and Lady Frances, who died unmarried. His Lordship (of whom see a more particular Account under the Title of Duke of Somerset) married Frances, eldest of the two Daughters and Coheirs of Henry Thynne, Esq; only Son of Thomas Viscount Weymouth, by whom he had a Son, George, Viscount Beauchamp, who died at Bologna in Italy, Sept. 11, 1744, being nineteen Years of Age that Day; and a Daughter, Lady Elizabeth, married in 1740 to Sir Hugh Smithson, Bart. Earl of Northumberland. And his Grace dying Feb. 7, 1749-50, was succeeded in the Baronies of Percy, Poynings, &c. by his only Daughter,

ELIZABETH, now *Baroness* Percy.

A R M S.

Quarterly, first and fourth Azure, five Fusils in Fesse, Or, the Arms of Percy; second and third Or, a Lion Rampant, Azure, the Arms of the Dukes of Brabant.

C R E S T.

On a Chapeau Gules, a Lion Passant, Azure.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Lion Azure; on the sinister, an Unicorn Argent, collared Gobone, Or and Azure.

M O T T O.

Esperance en Dieu.

Chief S E A T S.

Sion-House in the County of Middlesex; Alnwick, Warkworth, and Purhoe Castles, in the County of Northumberland; Stanwick and Ayrmin in Yorkshire; and Northumberland-House in the Strand.

STOURTON, Lord STOURTON.

IX. **T**HE Right Honourable William Stourton, Lord Stourton of Stourton in the County of Wilts.

So created May the 13th, in 1448, the 26th of Hen. 6.

Of this antient Family, which took its Denomination from the Town of Stourton, was Sir RALPH STOURTON, who was Father of ROBERT, whose Son WILLIAM had Issue Sir MICHAEL, Father of JOHN, who by Grace, his Wife, had a Son, EUDO, who, dying in his Father's Life-time, left RALPH, his Son, Heir to his Grandfather. He was a Kt of the Holy Sepulchre, and had Issue Eudo, who died young, and WILLIAM, who by Joan, Daughter of Richard Vernon of Horningsham, Wilts, had Issue JOHN STOURTON, who was Lord of the Manor of Preston in that County, and in the 37th of Edw. 3 was in the Wars in Aquitain, and in the 1st of Rich. 2 was Sheriff of the Cs. of Somerset and Dorset. He left Issue five Sons, William, John, Roger, Richard, and Edmund; the three last of which died without Issue; also three Daughters, Editha, married to Sir John Beauchamp, Kt of the Garter, and Margaret and Anastasia, both Nuns; and he was succeeded by WILLIAM, his eldest Son, who, in the 21st of Rich. 2, marrying Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir John Moigne of Maddington in Wilts, Kt, with her had the Manor of Estaines in Essex, and, dying in 1413, left Issue a Daughter, Margaret, married to William Clarent; and a Son,

[1st Ld.] JOHN, who, in the Reign of Hen. 6, was Sheriff of Wilts, Treasurer of the Household, and created Lord Stourton: He married Margery, Daughter of Sir John Wadham, and, dying in 1462, left Issue two Sons, Sir William, Sir Reginald who had no Male Issue, and two Daughters, and was succeeded by

[2d Ld.] Sir WILLIAM, his eldest Son, who attended K. Edw. 4 in his Army against the Lancastrians: He married Margaret, Daughter and Coheir to Sir John Chideock, Kt, by Catherine his Wife, second Daughter of Sir Ralph

Ralph Lumley, Kt, Ancestor of the Earl of Scarborough, and, dying in 1478, left Issue a Daughter, Ursula, the second Wife of Edward the first Earl of Lincoln.

[3d Ld.] JOHN, his Heir, married Catherine, Daughter of Sir Maurice Berkley of Beverston in the C. of Gloucester, Kt, and, leaving no Issue, was succeeded by

[4th Ld.] WILLIAM, his Brother, who married Thomasine, Daughter of Hugh Wriothesly, and dying about the Year 1522, without Issue, was succeeded by

[5th Ld.] EDWARD, his Brother, who subscribed the Declaration sent to Pope Clement 7, that, if he did not comply with K. Henry's Divorce from Q. Catherine, his Supremacy in England would be no longer owned: He married Joan, Daughter of John Fontleroy of the C. of Dorset, and, dying in 1536, left Issue

[6th Ld.] WILLIAM, Roger, Peter, and Christopher; of which the youngest married Elizabeth Denys, and had Issue Thomas, Edmund, and Leonard; and the eldest succeeded his Father: He married Elizabeth, Daughter of Edmund, and Sister to John Dudley, Duke of Northumberland, and, dying in 1558, was succeeded by his Son and Heir,

[7th Ld.] CHARLES, who, with the Help of four of his own Servants, in his own House committed a shameful Murder upon one Hargil and his Son, with whom he had been long at Variance, and buried their Carcasses fifty Feet in the Earth, thinking thereby to prevent the Discovery: But, it coming to Light, he had Sentence of Death passed upon him, which he suffered at Salisbury in 1557, by a Halter of Silk, in Respect of his Quality: He married Anne, Daughter to Edward Stanley, the second Earl of Derby, and by her, who married secondly Sir John Arundel, left three Sons,

[8th Ld.] JOHN, Edward, and Charles; whereof, John, being restored in Blood by Act of Parliament, 1575, was one of the Peers who sat upon the Trial of Mary Q. of Scots; but, dying without Issue in 1588,

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[9th Ld.] EDWARD, his next Brother, became his Heir: He married Frances, Daughter to Sir Thomas Tresham of Liveden in the C. of Northampton, Kt, by whom he had four Sons and two Daughters; Margaret, married to Sir Thomas Sulyard of Wetherden in Suffolk, Kt; and Mary, to Walter Norton, Esq; And of the Sons, who were

[10th Ld.] WILLIAM, Thomas, Francis, and Edward, the eldest, who in 1616 was made Kt of the Bath, at the Creation of Charles Prince of Wales, in 1632 succeeded his Father: He married Frances, Daughter to Sir Edward Moor of Odyham in the C. of Southampton, Kt, and by her had three Sons and two Daughters; of which, Mary was married to John Weld of Lulworth-Castle in the C. of Dorset; and Frances was a Nun at Cambray: And of the Sons, who were EDWARD, William, and Thomas, the latter was a Monk; and the eldest, who faithfully adhered to K. Charles I in the Time of the great Rebellion, and died in 1644 in the Garrison of Bristol, in his Father's Life-time, left Issue by Mary his Wife, Daughter to Robert Lord Petre,

[11th Ld.] WILLIAM, who succeeded his Grandfather: He married Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir John Preston of Furness-Abbey in the C. of Lancaster, Bart, and by her, who died in April 1668, left Issue six Sons, Edward, Thomas, Charles, Botolph, William, and John, besides three more who died young.

[12th Ld.] EDWARD, the eldest, succeeded to the Honour, and died at Paris in Oct. 1720, having there married a Daughter of Robert Buckingham, Esq; but, leaving no Issue, was succeeded by

[13th Ld.] THOMAS, his next Brother, who died in April 1744. CHARLES, the next Brother, married Catherine, Daughter to Richard Frampton of Bittson in the C. of Dorset, Esq; and by her had two Sons and three Daughters, viz.

[14th Ld.] 1. CHARLES, who succeeded his Uncle as Lord Stourton; 2. William, who married, October 8,

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1749, Miss Winifred Howard, Daughter of Philip Howard, Esq; and Niece to the Duke of Norfolk, by whom he has Issue Charles-Philip, born Aug. 22, 1752, Catherine, born Aug. 16, 1750, and Charlotte-Mary, born Sept. 16, 1751, and their Mother died July 15, 1754; 3. Mary; 4. Catherine; and, 5. Jane. His Lordship married Catherine, Widow of Robert-James Lord Petre, Grandmother of the present Lord Petre; and, dying without Issue, March 11, 1753, was succeeded by his Brother

[15th Ld.] WILLIAM, now Lord Stourton,

A R M S.

Diamond, a Bend Topaz, between six Fountains proper,

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a demi Grey-Fryar, habited in Russet, girt Gold, holding a Scourge of three Lashes, with Knots Ruby.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Sea-Dogs proper, scaled on their Backs, and finned Topaz.

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Loyal je serai durant ma Vie.

Chief S E A T.

At Stourton-Castle in the County of Stafford, 3 Miles from Stourbridge, 92 from London.

WILSON, Baronefs BERNERS.

X. **T**HE Right Honourable ——— Wilson, Lady Berners.

Summoned to Parliament, as Lord Berners, May 26, 1455, 33 Hen. 6.

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In the Reign of King William the Conqueror, **HUGH DE BERNERS** was of Evreldone in the C. of Cambridge; and in 1195, 6 Rich. 1, **ROBERT DE BERNERS** gave a Fine of 200 Marks for obtaining the King's Favour and Restitution of his Land.

In the 8th of Hen. 3, 1224, the King sent his Precept to the Sheriff of Suffex, to make Livery to John Bishop of Ely of all the Goods and Chattels of **RALPH DE BERNERS**, then being in his Manors of Bromfield, Black-Nutteleg, and Newton, to distribute for the Health of his Soul. Another **RALPH DE BERNERS**, in 1265, 49 Hen. 3, took Part with the rebellious Barons; and in 1253, 14 Edw. 1, was Sheriff of Berkshire. He died in 1264, seized of the Manor of Islington, then called Iseldon, in Middlesex; and other Lands in Surry, Suffolk, and Essex; and left Edmund, his Son and Heir, sixteen Years of Age, then in Gascoigne: Which **EDMUND** had Issue, by Alice, his Wife, Sir **RALPH BERNERS**, Kt, whose Son and Heir, Sir **JOHN BERNERS**, of Bernefton in Essex, died in 1347, leaving Issue, by Nichola, his Wife, Sir James Berners of Berners and Roding in Essex, and John Berners of Amerden-Hall in Depden in the same County; whose Son Nicholas left Issue Catherine, his Daughter and Heir, married to Sir Thomas Findern, and left Issue Sir William Findern of Carleton in Cambridgeshire.

Sir **JAMES BERNERS**, the eldest Brother, was a great Favourite of K. Rich. 2; and, in the 11th Year of his Reign, when the great Lords were prevalent, he, amongst others, (reputed Enemies to the Publick) was arrested for High-Treason, committed to the Castle of Bristol, condemned by the Parliament, and beheaded on Tower-Hill, with Sir John Beauchamp of Holt, Steward of the Household to the King. By his Wife Alice, who was afterwards married to Sir Roger Clarendon, Kt, natural Son to Edward Prince of Wales, he had Issue three Sons, who were restored in Blood, by Act of Parliament, 21 Rich. 2: Sir Richard Berners of West-Horsley in Surry; Thomas Berners of Writtle in Essex, Esq; whose Grandson, John Berners,

Berners, Esq; was Gentleman-Usher to the Princess Elizabeth, eldest Daughter to K. Edw. 4, and Sewer to Edw. 5, as appears on his Monument at Writtle: William, the third Son of Sir James, was Ancestor to the Berners of Finchfield in Essex.

Sir RICHARD, before-mentioned, was a Baron in the Reign of Henry 4, and, dying in 1421, left Issue, by Philippa, Daughter of Edmund Dalingrug, MARGERY, his Daughter and Heir, married first to John Feriby, Esq; and afterwards to Sir John Bouchier, fourth Son to William Bouchier, Earl of Ewe, by the Lady Anne Plantagenet, his Wife, Daughter of Thomas of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester, sixth Son of K. Edw. 3.

Which Sir JOHN BOURCHIER was knighted the 4th of Hen. 6, by John Duke of Bedford, the Regent, at Leicester-Castle, at the same Time as he knighted the King.

Having married the Daughter and Heir of the Lord Berners, as before-mentioned, he was summoned to Parliament 33 Hen. 6, by the Title of Lord Berners; and was in the first Battle of St. Alban on the Side of that King, and was afterwards installed a Kt of the Garter. He afterwards sided with the House of York, as did Thomas Bouchier, Archbishop of Canterbury; and was in great Esteem with K. Edw. 4, who, in the first Year of his Reign, made him Constable of Windsor-Castle, and also Warden of the Forests and Parks thereto belonging, for Life; and he died the 16th of May, 1474. He had Issue two Sons, Humphry and Thomas; of which, the youngest joined Henry, Earl of Richmond, afterwards Hen. 7, on his March towards Bosworth-Field; as he did in the 12th of that King against the Cornish Rebels at Black-Heath.

HUMPHRY, the elder Brother, was made a Kt of the Bath at the Coronation of Edw. 4, and was slain at Barnet-Field, April 14, 1471, fighting on the Part of King Edward. He married Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir of Sir Frederick Tilney, Kt, (afterwards married to Thomas, the second Duke of Norfolk) and left one Son, JOHN, who
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was Heir to his Grandfather at ſeven Years of Age, and at the Age of eleven was made a Kt of the Bath.

In the 7th of Hen. 7, he attended that King at the Siege of Bologne. In the 6th of Hen. 8, he was made Chancellor of the King's Exchequer for Life; and the ſame Year attended the Lady Mary, the King's Siſter, into France, on her Marriage with Lewis the 12th. He died on the 19th of March, 1552, and was buried in the Chapel at Calais, of which he was the King's Deputy. He married Catherine, Daughter of John Howard, Duke of Norfolk, who was killed at Boſworth-Field; by whom he had two Daughters; Mary, married to Alexander Unton, Eſq; Son and Heir of Sir Thomas Unton of Wadley in Berks, Kt, but died without Iſſue; and JANE, who, by the Death of her Siſter, became ſole Heir to her Father, and was married to EDMUND KNYVET, Eſq; Serjeant-Porter to K. Henry 8; from whom lineally deſcended CATHERINE KNYVET, Wife of Richard Bokenham of Weſton-Mercate in the C. of Suffolk, Eſq; who laying Claim to the Barony of Berners, his late Majeſty King George was pleaſed to refer it to the Houſe of Peers; when their Lordſhips, in June, 1720, reſolved and adjudged, that the ſaid Catherine had a Right to the Barony of Berners in Fee.

The ſaid JANE, Daughter and ſole Heir of John Lord Berners, who died in the Reign of K. Hen. 8, had by Edmund Knyvet, above-mentioned, JOHN, her eldeſt Son, who died in her Life-time, and left Iſſue Sir THOMAS KNYVET of Aſhwelthorpe in the C. of Norfolk, Kt, his Son and Heir, and Grandſon and Heir of the ſaid Jane; and the ſaid Sir Thomas Knyvet had Iſſue Sir THOMAS KNYVET, the younger, his eldeſt Son, who died in the Life-time of his Father, leaving THOMAS KNYVET, his Son and Heir, and Grandſon and Heir to Sir Thomas Knyvet, the elder. And the ſaid Thomas Knyvet, Eſq; had JOHN, his eldeſt Son, who was created Kt of the Bath; and who had Iſſue two Sons and four Daughters, beſides the ſaid Catherine, late Lady Berners, viz. Thomas and

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and John, Elizabeth, Mary, Jane, and Muriell; of which, Thomas, John, Mary, and Muriell died unmarried; Elizabeth was married to Thomas Glenham, Esq; and Jane to Oliver Le Neve, Esq; and both died without Issue; whereby CATHERINE became the sole Heir of Sir John Bouchier, Kt, first Lord Berners, and was lineally descended from him; which Catherine married to her first Husband John Harris of London, Gent; secondly, Richard Bockenham, before mentioned; but had no Issue by either of her Husbands. She died Dec. 1743, in the 89th Year of her Age; and, according to the best Information we have been able to get, the Barony descended to the Heir of Thomas Knyvet of Mutford in the C. of Suffolk, Esq; second surviving Son of Thomas Knyvet, Esq; eldest Son and Heir of Sir Thomas Knyvet of Ashwelthorpe, above-mentioned; who is one Mrs. Wilson.

A R M S.

Quarterly, first and fourth Argent, a Bend within a Border, engrailed, Sable; second and third, quarterly, Or and Vert.

VERNEY, Lord WILLOUGHBY of BROKE.

XI. **T**HE Right Honourable John-Peyto Verney, Lord Willoughby of Broke.

Summoned to Parliament as Lord Willoughby of Broke in the County of Wilts, Feb. 25, 1695-6, the 8th of Will. 3, the Title being then so claimed by Descent; but had Place as the ancient Barons of Broke, Aug. 12, 1492, the 7th of Hen. 7.

This Family is descended from WILLIAM DE VERNAI or VERNEY, who lived in the Reign of K. Hen. 1, and K. Stephen; whose Son ROGER had Issue ROGER DE VERNEY of Bromshulfe in the C. of Stafford: He had Issue SIMON, who married Agnes, Daughter of William

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Bogot of Hide in the same C. by whom he had Issue HERVELY, Father of RICHARD, who lived at Madeley in the C. of Hereford, in the 7th of Edw. 2; and had Issue SIMON; whose Son WILLIAM, marrying Alice, Sister and Coheir to Thomas de Langley, by her had Simon, who died in 1368, and WILLIAM, who had Issue JOHN, who was of Compton-Murdack in the C. of Warwick, and had two Sons, Sir Richard, and John, Rector of Bredon in the C. of Worcester, and Dean of Litchfield in 1432. Sir RICHARD was one of those who adhered to the House of Lancaster. He died in 1491, leaving Issue by Eleanor, Daughter and Heir to John Loutham, Esq; EDMUND VERNEY, his Son and Heir, who died in 1496: He married Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir William Fielding, and by her had three Sons, Richard, Leonard, and Michael.

RICHARD was in great Favour with K. Hen. 8, who, on Account of some Infirmary, granted him a special Licence to wear his Bonnet at all Times and in all Places, as well in the King's Presence, as elsewhere. He had Issue by Anne, Daughter to William D'Anvers, one of the Justices of the King's-Bench, Sir THOMAS VERNEY, Kt, his Heir, besides eight other Sons, and a Daughter.

He married Alice, Daughter to Sir Edmund Tame of Fairford in the C. of Gloucester, Kt, and by her had Sir RICHARD VERNEY, Knight, whose Wife was Frances, Daughter to George Raleigh of Farnborough in the C. of Warwick, Esq; and by her he had GEORGE VERNEY, who succeeded him, and died April 8, 1574.

He married Jane, Daughter to William Lucy of Charl-cot, Esq; by whom he had four Daughters and one Son, Sir RICHARD VERNEY, Kt, whose Wife was MARGARET, only Daughter to Sir Fulk Grevil, Kt, (by Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Edward Willoughby, Esq; eldest Son to Lord Willoughby of Broke, a younger Branch of the Family of Parham) and at length Heir to her Brother Fulk Grevil, Lord Broke of Beauchamp's Court; and by her, who died Mar. 26, 1631, aged seventy, he had Issue four Sons, Sir Grevil, John, Richard, who died unmarried,

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married, and George, who married Tryphena, Daughter of Edmund Sheffield, the first Earl of Mulgrave; and four Daughters, Mary, who was married to Sir Richard Samwell of Upton in the C. of Northampton, Kt, Grandfather to Sir Thomas Samwell, who was created a Bart, 28 Car. 2; Anne, to John Breton of Notton in the same C. Esq; Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and Margaret, who was married to ——— Shirley, Esq;

Of the Sons, Sir GREVIL, the eldest, succeeded his Father, who died August 7, 1630; and married Catherine, Daughter to Sir Robert Southwell of Woodrising in Norfolk, Kt, by whom he had Grevil Verney, his Heir; John, who died an Infant; Sir Richard Verney of Compton in the C. of Warwick, Kt of the Shire for that C. and George, who died unmarried: Which Grevil marrying Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Thomas the second Viscount Wenman, and dying in 1648, by her left a Son, Grevil, who was Kt of the Bath, at the Coronation of K. Charles 2; and he marrying the Lady Diana Russell, eldest Daughter to William the first Duke of Bedford, by her, who married secondly William Lord Allington, had William, his only Child, who, dying unmarried, put an End to that Line: So that we now return to RICHARD VERNEY of Compton; who being descended, through the Heiress of Grevil, from Robert Willoughby, Baron of Broke, laid Claim to the said Title, alledging that he was lineal Heir to Sir ROBERT WILLOUGHBY, Kt of the Garter, who was summoned to Parliament, as Lord Broke, 7th of Hen. 7; to whom succeeded Sir ROBERT WILLOUGHBY, Kt, his Son and Heir, who was summoned to Parliament by the same Title, by K. Henry 8, and seized of the said Barony, to him and his Heirs, as of Fee and Right; whereupon the Barony descended to ELIZABETH, Lady Grevil, Grandchild and at length sole Heir to the second Lord Broke, and afterwards to her Grandchild and Heir, Sir FOULK GREVIL, Kt; and though he was created Lord Broke of Beauchamp's Court, by K. James 1, by Patent to him and his Heirs Male, with Remainder to his Cousin

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Robert Grevil, and his Heirs Male, yet was he rightfully entitled to the said Barony of Broke in Fee; and, dying without Issue, the said Barony in Fee descended to MARGARET, Sister of the said Foulk, and his sole Heir, Grandmother to the Petitioner: And, the same being allowed in Parliament, the 13th of Feb. 1695-6, he, on the 25th of the same Month, took Place as the ancient Barons of Broke, and died on the 18th of July, 1711, in the ninetyeth Year of his Age.

He married first Mary, Daughter to Sir John Prettyman of Lodington in the C. of Leicester, Kt, and by her had three Sons, and a Daughter of her Name, married to Samuel Davenport of Caverley in the C. of Chester, Esq; and by his second Wife, Mary, Daughter to Thomas Dove of Upton in the C. of Northampton, Esq; he had Richard, who died a Batchelor, and Diana, who was married to Sir Charles Shuckburgh of Shuckburgh in the C. of Warwick, Bart.

Of the Sons by the first Wife, which were John, George, and Thomas, the latter was a Merchant, and died in Portugal; and the eldest, who was Kt of the Shire for the C. of Leicester in several Parliaments, marrying Christian, Daughter to John Breton, Esq; before-mentioned, by her had two Sons, John and Grevil, who both died young; and dying in his Father's Life-time (October 31, 1707) without surviving Issue,

GEORGE, his next Brother, who was a Prebendary and Canon of Windsor, and Chaplain to Q. Anne, succeeded his Father in the Honour and Estate.

He was afterwards Dean of St. George's Chapel in Windsor, Register of the Order of the Garter, Dean of Wolverhampton, and one of the Society for propagating the Gospel in foreign Parts; and died the 26th of Dec. 1728.

He married Margaret, Daughter and Heir to Sir John Heath of Braysted in Kent, Kt, also Heir by her Mother to Sir John Mennes, Kt, and by her Grandmother, to the Earl of Carrick in Scotland; and by her, who died on the 18th of October 1729, had three Sons, and a Daughter of her Name,

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Name, married to Anthony Duncomb, now Lord Feverham.

Of the Sons, which were Thomas, Richard, and John, the latter was Member of Parliament for Downton, Vice-President of the Corporation of the Sons of the Clergy, and one of his Majesty's Justices for South-Wales, which, by Reason of his ill State of Health, he resigned in 1732, and was next Year appointed Chief-Justice of Chester. On the 13th of May, 1729, he was made Attorney-General to Q. Caroline, and afterwards Master of the Rolls, and died Aug. 5, 1741. He married Abigail, only Daughter of Edward Harley of Eyewood in the C. of Hereford, Esq; and Sister to the present Earl of Oxford, by whom he had a Son, born in August 1738, named John-Peyto, and two Daughters, Margaret, who died young, and Sarah.

Thomas, the eldest Son, married Eleanor, youngest Daughter to Thomas Lord Leigh, and, dying of the Small-Pox in May, 1710, by her, who died Jan. 8, 1756, had a Daughter of her Name, who was born after his Decease, and married to George Bowes, Esq;

RICHARD, his next Brother, succeeded his Father in his Honour, as Lord Willoughby of Broke. This noble Lord (upon the Report of the Death of his Father) walked at the Coronation of his present Majesty, as Lord Willoughby of Broke. He married Margaret, Daughter of Mr. Nehemiah Walker of Monmouthshire, by whom he had Issue one Son, George, who died an Infant. And his Lordship, dying in Aug. 1752, was succeeded in the Honour by

JOHN-Peyto VERNEY, his Nephew, Son of his Brother John.

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Ruby, three Crosses recercele Topaz, a Chief Vair, Ermine and Ermines.

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On a Wreath, the Bust of a Man coupé and affrontée, proper, crowned ducally Gold.

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Two Antelopes Pearl, spotted Ruby, their Horns, Manes, Tufts, and Hoofs, Topaz.

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Chief S E A T.

At Compton-Murdack in the County of Warwick.

*NOEL, Lord WENTWORTH of
NETTLESTED.*

XII. **T**HE Right Hon. Edward Noel, Lord Wentworth of Nettlested, and Bart.

Summoned to Parliament by the Title of Baron Wentworth, in 1530, 21 Hen. 8; created Lord Wentworth of Nettlested, in 1610, 8 James 1; and Bart, July 6, 1660.

An Account of this Noble Family may be seen under the Title of Wentworth, Earl of Strafford; and that Sir THOMAS WENTWORTH, who was created Lord Wentworth of Nettlested, was also, on the 7th of Feb. 1625, 1 Char. 1, created Earl of Cleveland, in the C. of York, and died Mar. 26, 1667. He married to his first Wife Anne, Daughter to Sir John Crofts of Saxham in the C. of Suffolk, Kt, by whom he had three Sons, Thomas Lord Wentworth, William and Charles, who both died young; also three Daughters, Anne and Mary, who both died young, and another Anne, of whom hereafter. And the said Thomas Lord Wentworth, dying in the Life-time of his Father, without Issue Male, the Title of Earl of Cleveland became extinct, and the Barony of Wentworth descended to his only Daughter and Heir, HENRIETTA; who dying unmarried on the 23d of April, 1686, it devolved on ANNE, her Father's Sister, who was stiled Baroness Wentworth of Nettlested, and married

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ried John Lord Lovelace, by whom she had a Son and Heir, John Lord Lovelace, and three Daughters; Anne, who died unmarried; Margaret, who was married to Sir William Noel of Kirkby-Mallory in the C. of Leicester, Bart; and Dorothy to Henry Drax, Esq; Merchant in Barbadoes, Son of Sir James Drax, Kt: But her Son John dying before her, Sept. 26, 1693, and having married Martha, one of the Daughters and Coheirs of Sir Edmund Pye of Bradenham in the C. of Bucks, Bart, by her had a Son John, who died an Infant, and three Daughters; Anne, who died unmarried, March 31, 1691; Martha; and Catherine, who died unmarried, June 22, 1693; and he left MARTHA, his only Daughter and sole Heir, Successor to her Grandmother in the Barony of Wentworth; which Martha, Lady Wentworth, attended at the Coronation of Queen Anne, as Baronefs Wentworth of Nettlested, that Title being adjudged to her by Parliament, in 1702-3.

She married Sir Henry Johnson of Bradenham in the C. of Bucks, Kt, who died Sept. 29, 1719, having no Issue by her.

Her Ladyship dying in a very advanced Age, we now return to Margaret, Daughter of John the second Lord Lovelace, who married Sir William Noel, as above-mentioned, and had Issue, 1. Sir Thomas Noel, Bart, who married Anne, Daughter of Sir William Whitlock, Kt, Member of Parliament for the University of Oxford, but died without Issue; 2. Sir John Noel, Bart. who married Mary, Daughter and Coheir of Sir John Cloberry of Winchester, Kt, and had Issue, 1. Sir Cloberry, his Successor; 2. William Noel, Esq; one of his Majesty's Counsel at Law, Member of Parliament for Stamford, from Oct. 1722 to 1747, when he was elected for Westlow, as he was in the succeeding Parliament, and in 1757 was appointed a Justice of the Court of Common-Pleas. He married Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir Thomas Trollope of Casewick in Lincolnshire, Bart, and had Issue Mary, married to Thomas Hill of Cleveland-Court, St. James's, Esq; Anne, and Frances; And the said Martha, Baronefs Wentworth, was

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succeeded by Sir EDWARD NOEL, Bart, Son of Sir Clodbery, by Elizabeth, Daughter of Thomas Rowney of the City of Oxford, Esq; who is now Lord Wentworth of Nettlested. He married Judith, Daughter of William Lamb of Fairdish in the C. of Northampton, Esq; and has Issue one Son, Thomas, born Nov. 18, 1745, and a Daughter, Judith.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th Or, Fretty Gules, a Canton Ermine, for Noel; 2d Sable, a Chevron, between three Leopards Faces, Or, for Wentworth; 3d Gules, on a Chief indented Sable, three Martlets Argent, for Lovelace.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath a Buck at Gaze Argent, attired Or.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Gryphons Argent.

M O T T O.

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Chief S E A T.

At Kirkby-Mallory, Leicestershire.

*WILLOUGHBY, Lord WILLOUGHBY of
PARHAM.*

XIII. **T**HE Right Honourable Hugh Willoughby, Lord Willoughby of Parham in the County of Suffolk, President of the Society of Antiquarians.

So created Feb. 16, 1546, the 1st of Edw. 6.

This Noble Family is descended from Sir JOHN DE WILLOUGHBY, a Norman Kt, who had the Lordship of Willoughby in Lincolnshire by Gift from William

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liam the Conqueror, and left Issue Sir JOHN, Father of Sir HUGH, who married Frethland, Daughter and Coheir of William de Cokerinton, by whom he had great Possessions in Lincolnshire: And he had Issue William and Ralph; from one of which descended Sir ROBERT, Lord of Willoughby, who married the Daughter and Heir of John Orreby, and had Issue Sir WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY, Knight, who accompanied Prince Henry to the Holy Land, 54 Henry 3. He married Alice, Daughter of John Lord Beke of Eresby, Sister and Coheir of Walter Lord Beke, by whom he had Sir ROBERT, who had Summons to Parliament among the Barons the 7th of Edw. 2, and the Year after had Command to be at Newcastle upon Tyne, to prevent the Incurfions of the Scots. He died the 10th of Edward 2, leaving Issue by Margaret, Daughter of William de Ferrers, Earl of Derby, JOHN, his Son and Heir, who, in the 20th of Edward 2, received the Honour of Knighthood by Bathing; having all his Accoutrements, relating to that Solemnity, allowed out of the King's Wardrobe. He was in the Wars in Scotland and Flanders, under K. Edward 3, and at the famous Battle of Cressy; and had Summons to Parliament, from the 6th to the 23d of that King, when he died, leaving Issue by Joan, Sister and Coheir of Sir Thomas Rosceline, Kt, Sir JOHN, his Heir: He served in the Wars in France, and was at the Battle of Poitiers, and had been summoned to Parliament from the 24th to the 46th of Edward 3, when he died, seized of the Manors of Eresby, Willoughby, &c. He married Cecilia, Daughter of Robert Ufford, and Sister and Coheir to William Ufford, Earl of Suffolk; who brought to this Family the Lordships of Barbican in London, Ufford, Parham, Orford, &c. in Suffolk; being also Heir to the Families of Valens, Glanvil, Norwich, and Blond; and left Issue ROBERT, their Heir. He was with the Duke of Lancaster in the Expedition into Flanders and Spain. He had Summons to Parliament from the 40th of Edward 3, to the 19th of Richard 2, and died the 9th of August in the Year following, having Issue by Alice, his first Wife,
Daughter

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Daughter of Sir Walter Skipwith, Kt, William, his Heir; and by Elizabeth, his second Wife, Sister and Heir to John Nevil, Lord Latimer, had Robert, Thomas, John, and Bryan, and a Daughter, Catherine, Wife of William Lord Astley. Of the Sons, Thomas, the third, had Issue John, who by Anne, Daughter and Coheir of Sir Edmund Cheney of Broke in the C. of Wilts, Kt, had Sir Robert Willoughby, Kt. He married Blanch, Daughter and Coheir of Robert Champernon, Esq; and was one of those who rose in Arms in Behalf of the Earl of Richmond, and became a successful Sharer in his great Victory at Bosworth-Field. Soon after which, he, for his faithful Services, was advanced to the Dignity of a Baron of the Realm, by the Title of Lord BROKE, by Reason of his Residence at Broke near Westbury in Wiltshire, so called from a little Torrent running there. To him succeeded Robert, his Son and Heir, who married first Elizabeth, eldest of the three Daughters and Coheirs of Sir Richard Beauchamp, by whom he had a Son, Edward, who in her Right had the Manor of Alcester, with the principal Seat, called Beauchamp's-Court, in the C. of Warwick. He married to his second Wife Dorothy, Daughter of Thomas Grey, Marquis of Dorset (afterwards the Wife of William Blount, Lord Montjoy) by whom he had Issue two Sons, Henry and William, who died of the Sweating-Sickness; and two Daughters, Elizabeth, married to John Powlett, Marquis of Winchester; and Anne, to Charles Blount, Son and Heir to William Lord Montjoy. Edward, his eldest Son, married Elizabeth, Daughter of Richard Nevil, Lord Latimer, and, dying in the Lifetime of his Father, left Issue three Daughters, Coheirs to their Grandfather; of which, Blanch, the youngest, was married to Sir Francis Dautry, Kt, and died without Issue; Anne died unmarried; and Elizabeth, the eldest, was married to Fulk Grevil, a younger Son of Sir Edward Grevil of Milcote in the C. of Warwick, Kt, who, dying in 1559, left Issue by her two Sons, Fulk, his Heir, and Robert. Fulk, who succeeded, was knighted; and,

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and, dying in 1606, left Issue by Anne, Daughter to Ralph Nevil, Earl of Westmoreland, Fulk, his Son, who was created Lord BROKE of Beauchamp's-Court in the said C. of Warwick; and a Daughter, Margaret, who was married to Sir Richard Verney, Kt, whose Descendants from that Match obtained the Title of Lord WILLOUGHBY of BROKE.

We now return to WILLIAM, eldest Son of Robert Lord Willoughby, by Alice Skipwith. He had Summons to Parliament; and died the 11th of Henry 4, leaving Issue by Lucy, Daughter to Robert Lord Strange of Knockyn, Robert, his Heir, and THOMAS, Ancestor to the Lord Willoughby of Parham: Which Robert attended Henry 5, when he took Harfleur, and at the Battle of Agincourt; also at the Sieges of Caen and Roan. In 3 Henry 6, he was sent with Sir John Falstaffe, Kt of the Garter, to prevent the Surprize of Alençon, and defeated the Party sent for that Purpose. He was employed in several other Expeditions in that Reign; and, in the 10th of Henry 6, John Duke of Bedford gave him the Titles of Earl of Vendosme and Beaumont, Lord Willoughby of Monblay and Beaumesguil. In the 12th of Henry 6, on the Death of Joan, Widow first of Edmund Langley, Duke of York, and secondly of Sir Henry Bromfielde, Sister and Coheir to Edmund Holland, Earl of Kent, he had Livery of the Lands she held in Dower from William Lord Willoughby, his Father, whose second Wife she had been. He is recorded to be one of the greatest Soldiers of his Time. He married Maud, Cousin and Coheir to Ralph Lord Cromwell, and died the 30th of Henry 6, leaving an only Daughter, Joan, Wife of Sir Richard Wells, Kt.

We now return to THOMAS, his Brother, who was also with Henry 5, at the Battle of Agincourt; and left Issue by Joan, Daughter and Heir to Sir Richard Fitz-Alan, Grandson of John Earl of Arundel, Kt of the Garter, Sir ROBERT, his Heir, who died May 30, 5 Edward 4, leaving by Cecilia, Daughter of Leo Lord Wells, eldest Sister and Coheir of Richard Lord Wells, two Sons, Sir

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ROBERT, who died under Age, leaving Sir CHRISTOPHER, his Brother and Heir, who was made a Kt. of the Bath at the Coronation of K. Richard 3. He married Margery, Daughter of Sir William Jennens of Knotshall in Suffolk, by whom he left five Sons, William, CHRISTOPHER, John, George, and Thomas; from the youngest of whom descended the present Lord MIDDLETON. Sir William, the eldest Son, on Failure of Issue of the Lord Wells, had the Title of Lord Willoughby, and very large Possessions, anciently belonging to his Family, and which went to the Family of Wells, by the Marriage of Joan, Heir to Robert Lord Willoughby, to Sir Richard Wells before-mentioned. He was made a Knight of the Bath at the Coronation of King Henry 8, and was with him at the Siege of Tournay. He died the 17th of Henry 8, leaving Issue by the Lady Mary Salines, his Wife, a Spaniard, and Maid of Honour to Q. Catherine, one Daughter and Heir, Catherine, who married first Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk; whom surviving, she married secondly Richard Bertie of Barested in Kent, and by him had a Son, Peregrine, who in her Right had Summons to Parliament as Lord WILLOUGHBY of ERESBY, and was Father of Robert the first Earl of Lindsey, Ancestor to the Duke of Ancaster.

Having thus far cleared up the Descent of this noble Family, we are now principally to observe, that CHRISTOPHER WILLOUGHBY of Parham, Brother to William Lord Willoughby of Eresby, marrying Elizabeth, Sister and Heir of Gilbert Lord Talbois, by her had

[1st Ld.] Sir WILLIAM WILLOUGHBY, Kt, his Heir, who, in the 1st of Edward 6, was created Lord Willoughby of Parham; and, in the 4th of that Reign, was made Lieutenant of Calais, and the Marches adjacent. He married first Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to Sir Thomas Heneage, and by her had

[2d Ld.] CHARLES, Lord Willoughby, and a Daughter, Mary. His second Wife was Margaret, Daughter of Robert Garnish of Kenton in Suffolk, Esq; Widow of
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Walter the first Viscount Hereford; but by her he had no Issue. Charles, who was the second Lord, married Margaret, Daughter to Edward the first Earl of Lincoln, and by her he had five Sons and three Daughters.

Of the Daughters, which were Anne, Margaret, and Catherine, the latter was married to John Savile, Kt, and the eldest to Sir William Pelham of Brockelsby in the C. of Lincoln, Kt: And of the Sons, who were WILLIAM, Sir Ambrose Willoughby, Kt, Edward, Charles, and Sir Thomas, Edward and Charles died without Issue: Sir Ambrose married Susan Brook, Granddaughter and Heir of Richard Pate of Gloucester, Esq; and had Issue Edward, who by Rebecca, Daughter of Henry Draper, had Issue Henry, his Heir, born at Stewkly in Bucks in 1626: He left Issue Henry, his Heir, born at Minstworth in the C. of Gloucester in 1665, who by Elizabeth, Daughter of William Pidgeon of Stepney in Middlesex, had Issue five Sons, Henry, William, Edward, Joseph, and Fortune; and two Daughters, Elizabeth and Mary, both unmarried: Henry, the eldest Son, is now one of his Majesty's Justices of Peace, and Colonel of the second Regiment of the Tower-Hamlets. He married Suffex, Daughter of Robert Gresswell of the C. of Middlesex, and had three Sons, and three Daughters, who all died young, except Elizabeth, eldest Daughter, who married John Halsey of Tower-hill deceased: William, second Son, married Elizabeth, Daughter of — Knochton of Middlesex, and had Issue William, now living: Edward died without Issue: Joseph is unmarried: And Fortune, fifth Son, married Hannah, Widow of Cook Tollet of Swanscomb in the C. of Kent, and had Issue George, born in 1748, now living. We now return to William, eldest Son of Charles, the second Lord, who died in his Father's Life-time, leaving Issue by Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to Sir Christopher Hilliard, Kt, five Sons and six Daughters; Catherine, married to Joseph Godfrey, Esq; Mary, to Sir William Booth; Elizabeth, to Sir William Hickman; Honora, Priscilla, and Ursula. Of the Sons, which were

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[3d Ld.] WILLIAM, Charles, Sir Thomas, Edward, and Christopher, the eldest succeeded his Grandfather; and taking to Wife Frances, Daughter to John Manners, Earl of Rutland, by her had two Sons and two Daughters; Elizabeth, who died unmarried, and Frances, who was married to Sir Bulstrode Whitlock: And of the Sons,

[4th Ld.] FRANCIS, the eldest, was Heir to his Father: He married Elizabeth, second Daughter and Coheir to Edward Cecil, Viscount Wimpleton, and by her had three Daughters; Diana, married to Heneage Finch, the second Earl of Winchelsea; Frances, to William Lord Bereton of Ireland; and Elizabeth, to Roger Jones, Earl of Ranelagh in the same Kingdom, and their Daughter was Mother of the Countess of Coningsby: But dying without Issue Male,

[5th Ld.] WILLIAM, his Brother, became his Heir; and marrying Anne, Daughter to John Carey of Stanwell in Middlesex, Esq; by her had seven Sons, and five Daughters; and being Governor of the Caribbee Islands, lost his Life in an Hurricane, near Martinico, in July, 1666.

Of the Daughters, which were Frances, Elizabeth, Anne, Mary, and Catherine, the latter was married first to Charles Cockain, Viscount Cullen in Ireland, and afterwards to Sir John Harpur of Calke in the County of Derby, Bart; and the eldest, first to Sir John Harpur of Swerkeston in the County of Derby, Kt; secondly to Henry Kirkhoven, Baron Wotton in England, and Earl of Bellamont in Ireland; and lastly to Henry Heveningham of Heveningham in Suffolk, Esq; Of the Sons, which were

[6th Ld.] GEORGE, Henry, William, John, James, Carey, and Charles, the eldest succeeded his Father; and marrying Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Henry Fiennes, alias Clinton, Esq; by her he had John, his Heir, and a Daughter, Elizabeth, born April 29, 1673, who was married to James Bertie, second Son to the Earl of Abington, Kt of the Shire for Middlesex, and Father to Willoughby, the present Earl.

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[7th Ld.] JOHN, who succeeded, dying in the 14th Year of his Age, unmarried,

[8th Ld.] JOHN, his Uncle, his Father's next surviving Brother, became his Heir; but he marrying Anne Bolterton, a Bermudas Gentlewoman, and dying without Issue, the Honour devolved upon

[9th Ld.] CHARLES, the youngest of the said seven Sons, but the only one then living; who marrying Mary, Daughter to Sir Beaumont Dixie of Market-Bosworth in the C. of Leicester, Bart, and dying without Issue, Dec. 9, 1678, left his Estate to Elizabeth, his Niece, who was married to James Bertie, before-mentioned, not knowing that any Person was to succeed him in his Honour.

The principal Male Line thus failing, we come now to Sir THOMAS WILLOUGHBY, Kt, who married Mary, Daughter of John Thorney, and had Issue THOMAS, his Heir, who married Eleanor, Daughter of Hugh Wittle of Horwich in the C. of Lancaster, Gent. by whom he had four Sons; Thomas and Edward, who both died young;

[10th Ld.] HUGH, who succeeded to the Honour, and was the 10th Lord. He married first Anne, Daughter to Laurence Halliwell of Tockhold in the C. of Lancaster, by whom he had a Son, Thomas, who died young; and secondly Honora, Sister to Thomas Lord Leigh, and Widow of Sir William Egerton, Kt of the Bath, second Son of John the second Earl of Bridgewater: But, he dying in Aug. 1712, without surviving Issue, we return to FRANCIS, his Brother, who, by Eleanor Rothwell of Hay in the C. of Lancaster, had four Sons; of which,

[11th Ld.] EDWARD, the second, who (at the Time of his Uncle's Death) carried Arms as a private Gentleman in Flanders, succeeded, and, dying in April 1713, before he had enjoyed the Honour a Year, was succeeded by

[12th Ld.] CHARLES, his Brother, who, dying the 12th of June, 1715, left Issue, by Hester his Wife, Daughter to Henry Davenport of Darcy-Lever in the C. of Lincoln, Esq;

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[13th Ld.] HUGH, now Lord Willoughby, and a Daughter, Helen.

A R M S.

Topaz, Fretty, Sapphire.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, the Bust of a Man couped and affrontée proper, ducally crowned Gold.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, an Ostrich Pearl; beaked and membered Topaz, and in its Beak an Horseshoe proper. On the sinister, a Savage, wreathed about the Temples and Loins with Ivy, all of the last.

Chief S E A T S.

At Warfop in the County of Nottingham; at Knatch in the County of Lincoln; and at Shew-Place and Worfle in the County of Lancaster.

C A R E Y, Lord H U N S D O N.

XIV. **T**HE Right Honourable William-Ferdinand Carey, Lord Hunsdon.

Created Baron of Hunsdon in the C. of Hertford, Jan. 13, 1558, the 1st of Elizabeth.

Of this Family of Carey, anciently seated at Cockington in the C. of Devon, was Sir JOHN CAREY, Kt, who in 1387, the 10th of Richard 2, was made Chief Baron of the Exchequer, and died in 1404.

Of the same Place was also WILLIAM CAREY, Esq; who in 1470, the 10th of Edward 4, taking Part with the Lancastrians in the Battle of Tewksbury, and losing the Day, was taken out of the Church, where he had fled for Sanctuary, and, notwithstanding a Promise of Pardon, lost his Head.

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He married first Anne, Daughter to Sir William Powlett, Kt, from whom those of Cockington descended; and by his second Wife, who was Alice, Daughter to Sir Baldwin Fulford, Kt, he had THOMAS CAREY, Esq; who married Margaret, second Daughter and Coheir to Sir Robert Spencer of Spencer-Comb in the C. of Devon, Kt, and by her had two Sons, Sir John and William; whereof the former, marrying the Sister of Sir Anthony Denny, Kt, by her had Sir Edward Carey, Kt, who by Catherine, Daughter to Sir Henry Knevet, and Widow of Henry Lord Paget, had Henry Carey, created Visc. FALKLAND, as in the Scotch Compendium: WILLIAM, younger Brother to Sir John, was Esquire of the Body to K. Henry 8, and married Mary, Daughter to Thomas Bullen, Earl of Wiltshire, and Sister to Anna Bullen, and by her had Henry, his Heir, and a Daughter, Catherine, married to Sir Francis Knolles, Kt of the Garter.

[1st Ld.] HENRY, who succeeded, was (in regard of his near Affinity to Q. Elizabeth, being her first Cousin) by the said Queen made a Baron, as above, and sent to carry the Ensigns of the Garter to the King of France, and was, after his Return, made Governor of Berwick upon Tweed.

He was likewise made Chamberlain of the Queen's Household, Warden of the Marches towards Scotland, Captain of the Band of Gentlemen Pensioners, and Kt of the Garter; and marrying Anne, Daughter to Sir Thomas Morgan, Kt, Lord of Arkton, by her had four Sons and three Daughters; of which, Catherine was married to Charles Howard, Lord Effingham, and Earl of Nottingham, and their Daughter Frances married Henry Fitzgerald, the 12th Earl of Kildare; Philadelphia, to Thomas Lord Seroop of Bolton, Kt of the Garter, by whom she had Emanuel Seroop, Earl of Sunderland, who leaving no legitimate Issue, settled his Estate of Langnor on his second natural Daughter Annabella, married to John Howe, Esq; Ancestor of the Lords Howe and Chedworth; and Margaret, to Sir Edward Hoby, Kt. And of the Sons, which were George, his Heir, John, Sir Edmund, and Robert; the latter

latter in 1621, the 19th of James 1, was created Lord Carey of Lepington in the C. of York; and on the 5th of Feb. 1625, the 1st of Charles 1, Earl of the Town of Monmouth.

He married Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir Hugh Trevañion; and, dying in 1639, left Henry, his Heir, and a Daughter, Philadelphia, who was married to Sir Thomas Wharton, Son and Heir to the Lord Wharton: And Henry, her Brother, succeeding his Father in his Honours, and marrying Martha, eldest Daughter to Lionel Cranfield, Earl of Middlesex, by her had Lionel Lord Carey; Henry, who married Mary, natural Daughter of Emanuel Scroop, Earl of Sunderland, and by her, who married secondly Charles the 1st Duke of Bolton, had no Issue; and eight Daughters; Anne, married to James Hamilton, Earl of Cranbrazel; Philadelphia; Elizabeth; Mary, married to William Earl of Desmond; Trevañiana; Martha, married to John Earl of Middleton in Scotland; Theophila, and Magdalen; but their Father dying in 1661, and his Sons before him, without Issue Male, put an End to this Line: So that we return to

[2d Ld.] GEORGE, the Earl's eldest Brother, who in 1596 succeeded his Father in the Barony of Hunfdon, and was Kt of the Garter. He succeeded his Father as Capt. of the Band of Pensioners to Q. Elizabeth.

He was also made Governor of the Isle of Wight, Chamberlain of the Household, and one of the Privy-Council; and, dying Sept. 9, 1603, left Issue by Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir John Spencer of Althorp in the C. of Northampton, Kt, a Daughter of her Name, who was married to Sir Thomas Berkley, Kt of the Bath, Ancestor to the Earl of Berkley, and died the 23d of April, 1635; but, having no Issue Male, his Honour descended to

[3d Ld.] Sir JOHN, his Brother, who married Mary, Daughter to Leonard Hyde of Throgkyn in the C. of Hertford, Esq; and, dying April 1617, left two Sons and two Daughters; of which, Anne was married to Sir Fran-

els Lovel, Kt; and Blanch, to Sir Thomas Wodehouse, Kt and Bart. And of the Sons, who were

[4th Ld.] HENRY and Charles, the latter had no Issue, and the eldest, on the 6th of June 1621, was created Visc. Rochford, and on the 8th of March 1627, Earl of Dover. He married Judith, Daughter to Sir Thomas Pelham of Laughton in Suffex, Bart, and by her had three Sons and three Daughters, Mary, Judith, and Philadelphia; whereof, Mary was married to Sir Thomas Wharton, Kt of the Bath, Brother to the Lord Wharton: And of the Sons, who were

[5th Ld.] JOHN, Pelham, who died without Issue, and George, the eldest, who was made Kt of the Bath at the Coronation of K. Charles 2, succeeded his Father. He married first Dorothy, Daughter to Oliver St. John, Earl of Bolingbroke, by whom he had no Issue; and secondly Abigail, Daughter to Sir William Cockain, Alderman of London, Sister to the 1st Visc. Cullen; and by her having only one Daughter, Mary, who married William Heveningham of Heveningham in Suffolk, Esq; the Dignity of Visc. Rochford, and Earl of Dover, on the 20th of May, 1677, became extinct.

We now return to Sir EDMUND CAREY, Kt, third Son of Henry the first Lord Hunston, who married first Mary, Daughter of Christopher Cooker of Croft in the C. of Lincoln, Esq; and secondly Elizabeth, youngest Daughter and Coheir of John Lord Latimer, and Relict of Sir John Danvers, Mother of Henry Danvers Earl of Danby; by which last he had no Issue; but by the first he had three Sons, Sir Robert, Thomas, and Ferdinand, and two Daughters. Sir ROBERT, the eldest, was Captain of a Troop of Horse in Holland, under Horatio Lord Vere of Tilbury, where he married Alletta, Daughter of Mynheer Hogenhove, Secretary to the States-General, by whom he had three Sons, HORATIO, Ernestus, and Ferdinand; of which, the eldest was Colonel of Horse in the Service of K. Charles 1, and by Petronella, Daughter of Robert Conyers, Esq; left Issue

[6th Ld.] Sir ROBERT CAREY, Kt, who succeeded to the Barony of Hunsdon, and was the 6th Lord. He married Margaret, Daughter to Sir Gervase Clifton, Kt and Bart, Widow of Sir John South, Kt, by whom he left no Issue. Therefore we must return to his Uncle ERNESTUS, second Son of Sir Robert, who left Issue.

[7th Ld.] ROBERT, who became the 7th Lord, who dying unmarried, Sept. 11, 1702, we now return to FERDINAND, third Son of Sir Robert. He was a Colonel in the Service of the States-General, and was killed at Maeftricht in Holland, leaving WILLIAM, his only Son, and Heir; who by Gertrude Van-Outhoorn, his Wife, had a Son and Heir,

[8th Ld.] WILLIAM-FERDINAND, the present Lord, born beyond Sea, but naturalized in 1690, who succeeded to the Title in 1702, and took his Seat in the House of Peers, March 1, 1707-8. His Lordship married, in Jan. 1717-18, Grace, Daughter to Sir Edward Waldo of London, Kt, and Widow of Sir Nicholas Wolfenholme of Forty-Hill in the C. of Middlesex, Bart, who died on the 9th of May, 1729, in the 46th Year of her Age, without Issue.

A R M S.

Pearl, on a Bend Diamond, three Roses Silver, barbed and seeded proper; a Crescent for Difference.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Swan with Wings expanded Pearl, beaked and membered Diamond.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Ram Pearl, spotted Ruby and Sapphire, armed, ducally gorged and chained, Topaz. On the finister, a Male Gryphon Pearl, his Beak, fore Legs, plain Collar, Chain, and Rays, Topaz.

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ST. JOHN, Lord ST. JOHN of
BLETSHOE.

XV. **T**HE Right Honourable John St. John, Lord
St. John of Bletshoe, and Bart.

Created Baronet, June 28, 1660, the 12th of Charles 2;
and Lord St. John of Bletshoe in the County of Bedford,
Jan. 13, 1558, the 1st of Elizabeth.

Of this ancient Family, which derive their Surname
from a Place called St. John in the Dutchy of Normandy,
was JOHN DE ST. JOHN, Esq; who, having a principal
Employment in the Army of the Norman Duke, attended
him in his Expedition into England, and had a Son Tho-
mas, who, in the Reign of Henry 1, held Lands in the C.
of Oxford, which were afterwards called The Lordship of
Stanton St. John.

To him succeeded John, his Brother, whose Son, Roger,
marrying Cicely, Daughter and Heir to Robert de Haya,
Lord of the Manor of Halnaked in Suffex, with her had
a plentiful Estate, and two Sons and a Daughter, Muriel,
who marrying Reginald de Areval, by him had a Daughter,
Mabil, who marrying Adam de Port, Baron of Bassing in
the C. of Southampton, Son of John, Son of Henry, Son
of Hugh de Port, who, in the Time of William 1, was
Proprietor of fifty-five Lordships in the said C. by him had
a Son, William, who succeeded him; and assuming the Sur-
name of St. John, his Family was from thence-forward
sitled Lord St. John of Bassing; and the Line continued
until the Reign of Edward 3, but then expired in the Per-
son of Edmund St. John, Lord of Bassing, who left a
Sister, Elizabeth, his Heir; and she marrying with Luke de
Poinings, he in her Right, in the 42d of Edw. 3, had Sum-
mons to Parliament as Baron St. John of Bassing; but that

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Line terminating in three Grandaughters, of which the eldest being married to Sir John Powlet, his Grandson William Powlet, in the Reign of Henry 8, was created Baron St. John of Bassing, Earl of Wiltshire, and Marq. of Winchester, and was the direct Ancestor to his Grace the Duke of BOLTON. But, having done with this Branch, we return to WILLIAM ST. JOHN, a younger Son of Robert, the second Lord St. John of Bassing; which William was filed of Faumont.

He married Isabella, Daughter and Coheir to William Combmartin, and by her had a Son, JOHN, who was knighted, and was Father of another Sir JOHN; which last marrying Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Sir Henry Humfreville of Penmark, from that Match proceeded Sir JOHN ST. JOHN, Lord of Penmark, who was found Cousin and Heir to Sir John Delabere, and had Issue Sir OLIVER ST. JOHN, Kt, who married Margaret, Sister and sole Heir to John de Beauchamp of Bletshoe, with whom he had that Lordship, and by her (who afterwards was married to John Beaufort, Duke of Somersset, and was by him Mother of Margaret Countess of Richmond, Mother of K. Henry 7,) had two Sons, and several Daughters, of which, Margaret was married to Henry, the fifth Earl of Kent. Of the Sons, Oliver, the youngest, was Progenitor of the present Visc. ST. JOHN; and JOHN, being knighted, married Margery, Daughter of Sir William Waldegrave, Kt of the Bath, and by her had two Daughters, Margaret, married to Francis the second Earl of Bedford; Mary, to John Hervey of Thurleigh in the C. of Bedford, Esq; and a Son,

[1st Ld.] OLIVER, who, in the 1st of Eliz. was created Lord St. John of Bletshoe, and in the 15th of her Reign, was one of the Peers that sat on the Trial of Thomas Howard, Duke of Norfolk. He married Agnes, Daughter and Heir to John Fisher, Esq; Lord of Elstoe, and by her had four Sons, and four Daughters; Martha, who was married to ——— Cheney, Esq; Judith, to Sir John Pelham, Kt; Margaret, to ——— Luke, Esq; and Anne,

Anne, first to Robert Corbet, Esq; (and Elizabeth, his sole Daughter and Heir, was married to Sir Henry Wallop, Kt, Ancestor of the Earl of Portsmouth) and next to Rowland Litton, Esq; And of the Sons, which were

[2d Ld.] JOHN, Oliver, Thomas, and Francis, the eldest, succeeding his Father, was one of the Peers which sat upon the Trial of Mary Q. of Scots, and died in 1596. He married Catherine, Daughter to Sir William Dormer of Ethorp in Bucks, Kt and Bart, Sister to Robert Lord Dormer, by whom he had a Daughter, Anne, who was married to William Lord Howard of Effingham, eldest Son of Charles Earl of Nottingham; but, having no Issue Male, the Honour descended to

[3d Ld.] OLIVER, his Brother, who marrying Dorothy, Daughter and Heir to John Read of the C. of Gloucester, Esq; by her had eight Sons, and seven Daughters; Elizabeth, Margaret, Judith, Anne, Catherine, Dorothy, and Martha; of which, the eldest was married to Sir William Beecher, Kt; the second to Sir Thomas Cheney, Kt; the third to Sir John Thompson, Kt; and the fourth to Robert Charnock, Esq; And of the Sons, which were Oliver, John, Anthony, Alexander, Sir Rowland, Henry, Beauchamp, and Dudley, the second, third, fourth, and last died young; Anthony, Alexander, and Rowland were knighted; and

[4th Ld and 1st Earl.] OLIVER, the eldest, succeeding his Father, was, by K. James 1, in 1624, created Earl of Bolingbroke. He married Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to William Powlet of the C. of Somerset, Esq; Son of Sir George Powlet, Kt, Brother to William the first Marquis of Winchester, and by her had four Sons, and a Daughter, Dorothy, married to John Lord Rochford, Son to the Earl of Doyer: And of the Sons, who were Oliver, Powlet, Charles, and Francis, the two eldest were made Kts of the Bath, at the Coronation of K. Charles 1; but Oliver, bearing Arms against the King in 1642, was slain at the Battle of Edgehill; and by Arabella, Daughter to John Egerton, the first Earl of Bridgewater, had four

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Daughters; Frances, married to Sir William Beecher of Howberry in the C. of Bedford, Kt; Elizabeth, to John Bennet of Cotbach in the C. of Leicester, Esq; Arabella, to Sir Edward Wise of Bidleham in the C. of Devon, Kt; and Dorothy, to Francis Charleton of Ayley in the C. of Salop, Esq; But, dying in his Father's Life-time without Issue Male, we come now to Sir POWLET, his Brother, who married Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to Sir Rowland Vaughan of the Spital near Shoreditch, London, and by her had two Sons; of which,

[5th Ld and 2d Earl.] OLIVER succeeded his Grandfather; but he marrying Frances, third Daughter to William Cavendish, Duke of Newcastle, and dying in 1688, without Issue, the Honour devolved upon

[6th Ld and 3d Earl.] POWLET, his Brother, who, dying on the 7th of Oct. 1711, unmarried, the Earldom became extinct: So that we now return to

Sir ROWLAND, fifth Son of Oliver, the third Lord. He was the Father of OLIVER ST. JOHN of Woodford in the C. of Northampton, who, in 1660, was created a Baronet; and marrying Barbara, Heir to the ancient Family of St. Andrew, by her had three Sons, St. Andrew, his Heir, Rowland, and Oliver.

ST. ANDREW, who succeeded his Father in the Title of Baronet, and died in 1708, had eight Sons and seven Daughters; whereof, Mary, the second, was married to the Rev. William Foster, Minister of Thrapston in the C. of Northampton; and Elizabeth, to John Lucy of Henrick in the C. of Bedford, Esq; but the other Daughters all died in their Infancy.

Of the Sons, which were Oliver, St. Andrew, Powlet, William, Beauchamp, Rowland, John, and Henry, the latter died unmarried, as did Oliver, the eldest, Powlet, and Beauchamp, who was drowned at Sea in 1703, with Sir Cloudefley Shovel; ST. ANDREW, the second, succeeded his Father, and, dying before his Wife, left her with Child of a Son, named

[7th Ld.]

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[7th Ld.] ST. ANDREW, on whom devolved the Title of Lord St. John of Bletshoe, as Successor to Powlet Earl of Bolingbroke, who died in 1711, as before observed; but, he dying in May 1714, at about two Years of Age, it came next to

[8th Ld.] WILLIAM, his Uncle; who dying on the 11th of Oct. 1720, unmarried, was succeeded by

[9th Ld.] ROWLAND, his Brother; and he dying on the 4th of July, 1722, unmarried,

[10th Ld.] JOHN, his next Brother, succeeded; and his Lordship, in March 1724-5, marrying Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir Ambrose Crowley of Greenwich in Kent, Kt, by her had Issue, 1. John, born Nov. 15, 1725; married Dec. 13, 1755, to Miss Simond, Daughter of Peter Simond, Esq; a Merchant in London, by whom he had a Daughter, born Sept. 10, 1759; 2. St. Andrew, born Dec. 23, 1726, died Jan. following; 3. Mary, born Nov. 21, 1728, married Oct. 16, 1754, to Henry Drax, Esq; 4. Ambrose, born May 23, 1730, died Dec. 13, 1740; 5. St. Andrew, born Jan. 17, 1731-2; 6. Elizabeth, born Dec. 12, 1733; 7. Jane, born July 19, 1735; 8. Barbara, born Sept. 19, 1737; 9. Anne, born Jan. 31, 1738-9; 10. Henry, born June 1, 1740; 11. Lettice, born Dec. 7, 1741; 12. Ambrose, born Oct. 17, 1743. His Lordship dying, June 24, 1757, was succeeded by

[11th Ld.] JOHN, the present Lord.

A R M S.

Pearl, on a Chief, Ruby, two Mullets, pierced, Topaz.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Mount Emerald, and therefrom a Falcon rising, Gold, belled Topaz, and ducally gorged Ruby.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Monkeys proper.

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Data Fata secutus.

Chief S E A T S.

At Melchbourn in the County of Bedford, and at Woodford in the County of Northampton.

P E T R E, Lord *P E T R E*.

XVI, **T**HE Right Honourable Robert-Edward Petre, Lord Petre.

Created Lord Petre of Writtle in the County of Essex, July 21, 1603, the 1st of James 1.

This Family had their Rise about the Beginning of the Reign of K. Henry 8, at which Time Sir WILLIAM PETRE (Son of John Petre of Turbigan in the C. of Devon) having his Education at Exeter-College in Oxford, became so great a Proficient in his Studies there, that he arrived to the Degree of Doctor of Laws, and grew so eminent therein, that he was employed by the King in divers Affairs, especially in what tended to the Dissolution of Religious Houses; and in the 27th of that Reign, with some others, was put into Commission by Cromwell, the Visitor-General, to repair to all the Monasteries throughout England, and to inquire into the Government and Behaviour of the Votaries of both Sexes, whereby to pick up sufficient Matter to ground an Accusation upon: And that grand Work being afterwards fully accomplished according to the King's Mind; his Majesty, as a Reward for his good Services, granted to him and Gertrude his Wife, in Fee, the Priory of Clattercote in the C. of Oxford, and the Manor of Gyngge-Abbotts in Essex, with several other Perquisites.

In the 35th of Henry 8, he was made one of the principal Secretaries of State, and was afterwards of the Council to Pr. Edward; and in 1549, the 3d of Edw. 6, was constituted Treasurer of the Court of First Fruits for Life.

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In the Reign of Q. Mary, he was again made Secretary of State, and Chancellor of the Garter; and in the first of Elizabeth was one of her Privy-Council; and having, by all these Preferments, raised himself to an ample Fortune, (for he had been Secretary of State in four Reigns, and seven Times Ambassador in foreign Parts) he became a Benefactor to Exeter-College, where he had been educated, and built an Alms-house at Ingatstone in Essex, for twenty poor People, with sufficient Allowance to maintain them.

He married first Gertrude, Daughter to Sir John Tyrrel of Warley in Essex, Kt, by whom he had two Daughters; Elizabeth, married to John Gostwick, Esq; and Dorothy, to Nicholas Wadham of Wadham in the Parish of Knewston in the C. of Devon; and, having no Issue, they became the pious Founders of Wadham-College in Oxford, he beginning, and she finishing and richly endowing the same.

His second Wife was Daughter to Sir William Brown, Kt, Lord-Mayor of London; and, dying in 1572, by her he left Sir John, his Heir, and two Daughters; Catherine, married to John Talbot of Grafton in the C. of Worcester, Esq; Ancestor to the Earl of Shrewsbury; and Thomasine, to Lodowick Grevil, Esq;

[1st Ld.] Sir JOHN, who succeeded, was by K. Jam. 3 created Lord Petre, as above; and marrying Mary, Daughter to Sir Edward Waldegrave, Kt, by her had three Sons, William, John, and Thomas; of which,

[2d Ld.] WILLIAM succeeded him in his Honour; and marrying Catherine, Daughter to Edward Somerset the 4th Earl of Worcester, and, dying the 5th of May, 1637, left seven Sons and three Daughters; Elizabeth, married to William Sheldon, Esq; Mary, to John Roper, Lord Teynham; and Catherine, to John Carrel, Esq; And of the Sons, who were

[3d Ld.] ROBERT; William; Edward, Clerk of the Closet to K. James 2, and one of his Privy-Council, best known by the Title of Father Petre, being his Majesty's Confessor and Almoner; John; Thomas; Henry, who married

ried Anne, Daughter to Sir John Gage, Bart; and George; the eldest succeeded his Father. He married Martha, sixth Daughter to Anthony Brown, the second Viscount Montagu, by whom he had three Sons and two Daughters; Mary, married to William Lord Stourton, and Dorothy, to John Thimbleby of Irnham in the C. of Lincoln, Esq; And of the Sons, which were

[4th Ld.] WILLIAM, John, and Thomas; the eldest, on the 11th of June, 1638, succeeded his Father in his Honour. He married first the Lady Elizabeth Savage, eldest Daughter to John Earl Rivers, by whom he had no Issue; and secondly Bridget, Daughter to John Pincheon of Writtle in Essex, Esq; having only one Daughter, Mary, married to George Heneage of Kington in the C. of Lincoln, Esq; and, dying on the 5th of Jan. 1683, in the Tower of London, where he was a Prisoner,

[5th Ld.] JOHN, his next Brother, became Heir; and, dying in Jan. 1684, unmarried, the Honour devolved upon

[6th Ld.] THOMAS, the youngest Brother, who married Mary, Daughter to Sir Thomas Clifton of Letham in the C. of Lancaster, Bart, and, dying on the 5th of Jan. 1706, by her (who died on the 4th of Feb. 1729-30) left Robert, his Heir, and a Daughter of her Name, who died the 10th of April, 1713; and

[7th Ld.] ROBERT, her Brother, succeeded his Father. He married Mar. 1, 1711-12, Catherine, Daughter to Bartholomew, and Sister and sole Heir to Francis Walmesley of Dunkehalgh, in the C. of Lancaster, Esq; and, dying on the 22d of March, 1712-13, had Issue

[8th Ld.] ROBERT-JAMES, Lord Petre, who was born after his Father's Decease, on the 3d of June, 1713. His Mother, in April 1733, married secondly Charles Lord Stourton. And the said Lord Petre married, on the 2d of May, 1732, the Lady Mary, Daughter of James late Earl of Derwentwater, by whom he had Issue one Son, and several Daughters; and, dying in July 1742, was succeeded by his only Son,

[9th Ld.] ROBERT-EDWARD, now Lord Petre.

A R M S.

A R M S.

Ruby, a Bend Topaz, between two Escallop Shells, Pearl.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, two Lions Heads erased, and adorsed, the first Topaz, the other Sapphire, each gorged with a plain Collar counter-changed.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Lions reguardant, that on the dexter Side Topaz, his plain Collar Sapphire, the other Sapphire, alike colored Gold.

M O T T O.

Sans Dieu rien.

Chief S E A T S.

At Thorndon, Ingatstone, and Writtle-Park, all in the County of Essex, and at Dunkehalgh in the County of Lancaster.

ARUNDEL, Lord *ARUNDEL* of
WARDOUR.

XVII. **T**HE Right Honourable Henry Arundel, Lord Arundel of Wardour, and Count of the Sacred Roman Empire.

Created Count of the Empire, Dec. 14, 1595, by the Emperor Rodolph 2; and Lord Arundel of Wardour in the County of Wilts, May 4, 1605, the 3d of James 1.

This Family of Wardour is a Branch of that which for many Ages hath flourished in the West of England, whereof was ROGER ARUNDEL, who at the Time of the general Survey (taken after the Norman Conquest) was found to be possessed of twenty-eight Lordships in the C. of Somerset;

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set; and from him, in a direct Male Line, descended Sir THOMAS ARUNDEL, Kt; who in the Reign of K. Henry 8, marrying Catherine, Daughter and Coheir of John Lord Dynham, by her had Sir JOHN ARUNDEL, Kt of the Bath; to whose Son, Sir THOMAS, the said King gave the Castle of Wardour.

He married Margaret, Daughter and Coheir to Edmund Lord Howard, third Son of Thomas Duke of Norfolk, Sister to Catherine, fifth Queen of K. Henry 8, by whom he was Father of Sir MATTHEW, who by Margaret, Daughter to Henry Willoughby of Wollaton in the C. of Nottingham, Esq; had

[1st Ld.] Sir THOMAS, his Heir; who, serving in the Wars in Hungary against the Turks, was so highly esteemed for his Valour there (taking their Banner at Gran with his own Hands) that Rodolph 2, then Emperor, in the Year 1595, advanced him to the Degree and Honour of a Count of the Empire, with all the Privileges thereof, and to every of his Children, and their Descendents of both Sexes for ever. But upon his Return to England, there being a Dispute amongst the Peers of this Realm, whether such a Dignity, given by a foreign Prince, should be allowed of here, as to Place and Precedence, or other Privilege, it was voted in the Negative; upon which, K. James 1, to countenance his signal Merit, created him Baron of Wardour, and to the Heirs Male of his Body.

He married first Maria, only Daughter to Thomas Wriothesly, Earl of Southampton, by whom he had two Sons, and a Daughter, Elizabeth, married to Sir John Philpot, Kt; and secondly Anne, Daughter to Miles Philippon of Crook in the C. of Westmoreland, Esq; by whom he had three Sons, Matthew, Thomas, and Frederick, who all died in their Minority; and six Daughters, of which, Catherine was married to Ralph, Son and Heir to William Lord Eure; Mary, to Sir John Somersset, Kt, second Son to Henry Marquis of Worcester; Anne, to Cecil Calvert, Lord Baltimore; Frances, to John Talbot, the 10th Earl of Shrewsbury; Margaret, to John Fortescue, Esq; and Clare, to

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Humphry Welde, Esq; And of the Sons by the first Wife, William, the youngest, was seated at Hornisham in Wilts, and married Mary, eldest Daughter of Anthony the 2d Vis. Montagu, and Widow of William Lord St. John, Son to William the 4th Marquis of Winchester; and

[2d Ld.] THOMAS, the eldest, on the 7th of Nov. 1639, succeeded his Father, and married Blanch, fifth Daughter to Edward the 4th Earl of Worcester; and, dying in the Garrison at Oxford, May 19, 1643, left Henry, his Heir, and two Daughters; Catherine, married to Francis Cornwallis, Esq; and Anne, to Roger Vaughan, Esq;

[3d Ld.] HENRY, who succeeded his Father, was one of the Privy-Council to K. James 2, and Lord Privy-Seal; and marrying Cicely, Daughter to Sir Henry Compton, Kt of the Bath, Widow of Sir John Fermor of Somerton in the C. of Oxford, by her had two Sons, and a Daughter of her Name, who became a Nun: And of the Sons, who were

[4th Ld.] THOMAS and Henry, the eldest on the 28th of Dec. 1694, succeeded his Father, and married Mary, Daughter to Thomas Spencer of Upton in the C. of Warwick, Esq; by whom he had three Sons, Henry, Thomas, and Matthew; whereof, Thomas was killed at the Battle of the Boyne, and Matthew died at Roan in Normandy, both unmarried; but

[5th Ld.] HENRY, in 1712, succeeded his Father. He married Elizabeth, Daughter to Thomas Panton of St. Martin's in the Fields, Esq; and by her (who died on the 9th of May, 1700) had two Sons, and a Daughter of her Name, who was Wife of James Touchet, Lord Audley: And of the Sons, who were

[6th Ld.] HENRY and Thomas, the latter was born July 19, 1695; and the eldest, who was born on the 16th of Feb. 1693, on the 26th of June, 1726, succeeded his Father. He married first Eleanor-Elizabeth, Daughter of Baron Everard of Liege, by whom he had Issue, 1. Henry, born Oct. 4, 1717; 2. Thomas; 3. James-Everard Arundel, who married on the 24th of June, 1751, Miss Wyndham,
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only Daughter and Heir of John Wyndham of Salisbury, Esq; by whom he had a Daughter born Nov. 30, 1752, and a Son and Heir, March 22, 1756. His Lordship married secondly the Lady Anne Herbert, third Daughter of William the last Marquis of Powis; but by her, who died Oct. 2, 1757, he had no Issue; and his Lordship, dying in July, 1746, was succeeded by

[7th Ld.] HENRY, the late Lord, who married Jan. 27, 1738-9, Mary, youngest Daughter and Coheir of Richard-Bealing Arundel of Lanherne in Cornwall, Esq; Her eldest Sister Frances, who was the Relict of Sir John Gifford of Burstall in the C. of Leicester, Bart, died Feb. 28, 1752. His Lordship had Issue, 1. Henry, born March 31, 1740; 2. Thomas, born Oct. 4, 1742; and his Lordship dying Sept. 13, 1756, was succeeded by his Son,

[8th Ld.] HENRY, the present Lord.

A R M S.

Diamond, six Swallows, 3, 2, and 1, Pearl.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Wolf passant, Silver.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Lion guardant, Erminois, (viz. Yellow powdered with Black) ducally crowned, Gold; on the sinister, an Owl Pearl, with Wings disclosed, Topaz, crowned as the dexter.

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Chief S E A T.

At Wardour-Castle in the County of Wilts, near Shaftsbury, Dorset.

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BLIGH, Lord CLIFTON.

XVIII. **T**HE Right Honourable John Bligh, Baron Clifton of Leighton-Bromswold: Also Baron Clifton, and Earl of Darnley in Ireland.

Summōned to Parliament by Writ, as Baron Clifton of Leighton-Bromswold in the County of Huntingdon, July 9, 1608, the 6th of James 1. (English Honour.)

Created Baron Clifton of Rathmore in the County of Meath, Sept. 14, 1721, the 7th of George 1; Visc. Darnley of Athboy in the same County, March 7, 1722-3; and Earl of Darnley in the County of Meath, June 21, 1725, the 11th of George 1. (All Irish Honours.)

The Great Grandfather of this noble Lord, who lived in London, going over to Ireland (in Oliver's Time) as an Agent to the Adventurers, there acquired a good Estate, in which he was succeeded by

THOMAS, his Son, who in 1704 was Member of Parliament for the C. of Meath, and was one of the Privy-Council to Q. Anne, in which honourable Post he died. He married Elizabeth, Sister to Brigadier Napier, and by her left a Daughter Hannah, the second Wife of Maurice Cusſe, Esq; Brother to John the first Lord Desart.

JOHN, who in 1717 was Member of Parliament for the Borough of Athboy, was created a Baron, Viscount, and Earl of Ireland, as above; and died the 12th of Sept. 1728, in the forty-first Year of his Age. He married the Lady Theodosia Hyde, Daughter and Heir to Edward Earl of Clarendon, and by her (who died the 30th of July, 1722) left three Sons, Edward, John, now Earl, and Thomas, now Member in the Irish Parliament for the Borough of Athboy in the County of Meath; and three Daughters, Lady Mary, married in 1737 to William Tighe, Esq; Member of Parliament for the Borough of Clomines in the C. of Wexford in Ireland; Lady Anne, to ——— Ward, Esq; by whom she had a Son in Dec. 1750; and Lady Theodosia, to William Crosbie, Esq; eldest

eldest Son of Sir Matthew Crosbie, Kt, by whom she had a Son, born in May 1752.

EDWARD, his eldest Son, succeeded him in his Irish Honours, and was Baron Clifton in England, in Right of his Mother, as follows; viz.

SIR GERVASE CLIFTON of Leighton-Bromswold in the C. of Huntingdon, Kt, (being a Branch of the Family of Clifton, whose Residence had been at Clifton in the C. of Nottingham for above 600. Years) had Summons to Parliament by the Title of Lord Clifton of Leighton-Bromswold, as above; and he marrying Catherine, sole Daughter and Heir to Sir Henry Darcy of Brimham in the C. of York, Kt, Son and Heir to Sir Arthur Darcy, Kt, a younger Son to Thomas Lord Darcy, by her left an only Daughter,

CATHERINE, who married first Esme Stuart, Lord D'Aubigny, a Place in the Duchy of Auvergne in France, (afterwards Earl of March, and Duke of Richmond and Lennox) and secondly James, the second Earl of Abercorn. By her first Husband she had

GEORGE, Lord D'Aubigny, whose Wife was Catherine, eldest Daughter to Theophilus Howard, Earl of Suffolk, and by her had several Sons, particularly

CHARLES, Duke of Richmond and Lennox, who died without Issue, leaving

CATHERINE, his Sister, sole Heir, who being married to Henry Lord Ibrian, Son and Heir to Henry Earl of Thomond, in Ireland, and making her Claim to the Title and Dignity of Baroness Clifton, as sole Heir to Gervase Lord Clifton, had the same allowed in Parliament, Feb. 7, 1673-4. *she afterwards married Sir Jos. Williamson*

This Catherine, Baroness Clifton, who died in 1702, had Issue a Son, Donatus, who died before her, and a Daughter,

CATHERINE, who being married to Edward Hyde, Earl of Clarendon, by him had a Son, Edward, and two Daughters; but the said Son dying in Feb. 1712-13, and Lady Catherine, his eldest Sister, in 1708, both unmarried, The

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The Lady THEODOSIA became sole Heir to the Barony of Clifton, and was succeeded by Edward the late Lord, who took his Seat in the House of Peers, Feb. 1, 1736-7, as Lord Clifton. He died in July, 1747, and was succeeded by his Brother,

JOHN, Member of Parliament for Maidstone in Kent, now Lord Clifton, &c. who is yet unmarried.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th, Sapphite, a Gryphon segreant, Topaz, armed and langued Ruby, between three Crescents Pearl, for Bligh. The 2d and 3d Quarters are quarterly, first Sapphire, a Chevron between three Lozenges Topaz, for Hyde. 2d Ruby, three Lions passant-guardant in Pale, Party per Pale, Topaz and Pearl, for O'Brien. 3d Topaz, a Fess, counter-compone, Pearl and Sapphire, a Border engrailed Ruby, for Stuart. 4th Diamond, semée of Cinquefoils, and a Lion rampant, Pearl, for Clifton.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Gryphon's Head erased, Gold.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Gryphons, with Wings expanded, Topaz; each having a Ducal Collar and Chain, Sapphire.

M O T T O.

Finem Respice.

Chief S E A T.

At Radmore in the County of Meath in Ireland.

DORMER, Lord DORMER of WENGE.

XIX. **T**HE Right Honourable Charles Dormer, Lord Dormer of Wenge, and Bart.

Created Baronet June 10, 1615, the 13th of James I; and on the 30th of the same Month Lord Dormer of Wenge in the County of Bucks.

Of this Family was Sir ROBERT DORMER, Kt, who, in the 35th of Henry 8, obtained a Grant to himself, and Anne Newdigate, his Wife, in Fee, of the Manor of Wenge in the C. of Bucks, which belonged to the Abbey of St. Alban; and was succeeded therein by

Sir WILLIAM, their Son, who was made Kt of the Bath at the Coronation of Q. Mary; and by Mary his first Wife, Daughter to Sir William Sidney, Kt, had an only Daughter, Joan, who was married to the Count Feria in Spain: His second Wife was Dorothy, Daughter to Anthony Catesby of Whiston in the C. of Northampton, Esq; by whom he had a Son, Robert, and three Daughters; Catherine, married to John Lord St. John of Bletchloe; Mary, to Anthony Brown, Esq; Son of Anthony the first Visc. Montagu, and Father by her of the second Viscount; and Margaret, to Sir Henry Constable, Kt, and was Mother of John Visc. Dunbar.

[1st Ld.] And ROBERT, their Brother, succeeding his Father, was created a Bart, and Baron Dormer of Wenge, as above. He married Elizabeth, Daughter to Anthony the first Visc. Montagu, and by her had three Sons, and three Daughters; Elizabeth, married to Henry Huddleston, Esq; Magdalen, to Sir John Curfon of Waterperry in the C. of Oxford, Bart; and Catherine, to Sir John Carril, Kt. And of the Sons, which were Sir William, Anthony, and Robert, the youngest became seated at Peterley in the C. of Bucks; the second at Grove-Park in the C. of Warwick; and Sir WILLIAM, the eldest, dying in his Father's Life-time, left Issue by Alice, Sister of Sir Richard Molineux of Seston in the C. of Lancaster, Kt, created

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created Visc. Molineux in Ireland, a Son, Charles, and a Daughter, Elizabeth, married to Edward Somerset, Marq. of Worcester.

[2d *Ld.*] CHARLES succeeded his Grandfather, and on the 2d of August, 1628, was created Visc. Ascot, and Earl of Caernarvon; and being a Person valiant and loyal to his Prince, for whom he took up Arms, had the hard Fate to be slain at the first Battle of Newberry, Sept. the 20th, 1643, leaving Issue by Anna-Sophia, Daughter to Philip Herbert, Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery,

[3d *Ld.*] CHARLES, his Heir, who married first Elizabeth, Daughter to Arthur Lord Capel, and by her had two Sons, that died young, and two Daughters; of which Elizabeth was married to Philip Stanhope, Earl of Chesterfield; and Isabella, to Charles Coote, Earl of Montrath in Ireland. He married secondly Mary, Daughter to Montagu Bertie, Earl of Lindsey; and, dying on the 29th of Nov. 1709, without Issue Male, the Earldom became extinct: So that we return to

ANTHONY, second Son of Robert the first Lord; who marrying Margaret, Daughter to Sir Anthony Terringham of Terringham in the C. of Bucks, Kt, by her had four Sons, and two Daughters; one married to ——— Watson of Madams-court in Kent; and the other to ——— Smith of Queenborough in the C. of Leicester. Of the Sons, which were

ROBERT, Anthony, John, and Francis, the eldest married ———, Daughter to ——— Eyres of Assup in the C. of Derby, Esq; and by her had a Son, Rowland, and a Daughter, Anne, first married to Edmund Powel of Sandford in the C. of Oxford, Esq; and next to Sir John Curson of Waterperry in the same C. Bart.

[4th *Ld.*] And the said ROWLAND, upon the Death of Charles Earl of Caernarvon, succeeded to the Title of Lord Dormer (the Earldom becoming extinct, as aforesaid); but, dying unmarried in 1712, and all his three Uncles, the Brothers of his Father, without Issue, we return to

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ROBERT DORMER of Peterley, third Son of Robert the first Lord Dormer, as before noted; who marrying Mary, Sister to Sir Edward Banaster, Kt, by her had eight Sons, and six Daughters; of which, three died young; Elizabeth was married to ——— Webb, Esq; Mary, to John Roper, Esq; and Anne, to George Eyton of Hendred in the C. of Berks, Esq; And of the Sons, which were Robert, Edward, James, Charles, John, William, Anthony, and Thomas,

CHARLES, the fourth, (by the Death of his elder Brothers) became Heir to his Father; and by Mary, Daughter to ——— Cellier, Esq; had two Sons, Charles and Robert; of which, Robert married Frances, Daughter to Windfor Finch, Esq; And the said

[5th Ld.] CHARLES, his Brother, who was Heir to his Father, in 1712 succeeded the said Rowland in the Honour of Lord Dormer. He married first Catherine; Daughter to ——— Fettyplace of the C. of Oxford, Esq; by whom he had two Sons, Charles, and John Dormer of Peterley in Bucks, Esq; who married Mary, Daughter to Sir Cecil Bishop of Parham in Suffex, Bart; and by her, who died Nov. 2, 1739, had eight Children; of which, Charles, the eldest, married, Aug. 9, 1749, the Lady Mary Talbot, Sister to George Earl of Shrewsbury; and Elizabeth, married Nov. 21, 1753, to the said Earl: And his Lordship married to his second Wife Elizabeth, Daughter to Richard Bidolph of the C. of Stafford, Esq; by whom he had Issue fourteen Children, of which, four Sons and four Daughters are living, viz. William, Robert, Joseph, Francis, Anne, Elizabeth, Frances, and Mary; whereof, Frances was married on the 4th of May, 1726, to William Plowden, Esq; by whom she has had fifteen Children, of which twelve are living. And his Lordship, dying on the 2d of July, 1728, was succeeded in Honour and Estate by

[6th Ld.] CHARLES, his eldest Son, the present Lord, who is unmarried.

A R M S.

Sapphire, ten Billets, 4, 3, 2, and 1, and a Chief Topaz, on the latter a Demi-Lion rampant-naissant, Diamond.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Right-hand Glove proper, surmounted by a Falcon Pearl.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Falcons of the last, armed, membered and belled, Gold.

Chief S E A T S.

At Ewdsworth near Petersfield in the County of Southampton; and at Peterley in the County of Bucks.

ROPER, Lord TEYNHAM.

XX. **T**HE Right Honourable Henry Roper, Lord Teynham.

Created Baron Teynham in the County of Kent, July the 9th, 1616, the 14th of James 1.

Of this ancient and noble Family, which for divers Ages was seated at St. Dunstan's, in the City of Canterbury, was William Roper, Esq; who, in the Reign of Henry 3, was a great Benefactor to the Priory of St. Martin in Dover; and, in the Time of Edward 3, John Roper of the same Family did eminent Services against the Scots.

In the Reigns of Henry 4 and 5, EDMUND ROPER, the Son of RALPH, was a Man of great Repute; and JOHN, his Son, in the 11th of Henry 8, was Sheriff of the C. of Kent, and was Father of another JOHN, who was Attorney-General to the said King, and Prothonotary of the King's-Bench. He married Jane, Daughter to Sir John Fineux, Kt, Chief-Justice of the King's-Bench, and by

her had a Daughter, Helen, married to Sir Edward Montagu (by whom she was Ancestor to the noble Families of Montagu); and two Sons, of which, William, the eldest, was seated at Eltham, and married Margaret, Daughter of the famous Sir Thomas More, Kt, Lord High-Chancellor of England, from whom the Ropers of Wellhall are descended; and CHRISTOPHER, the youngest, was stiled of the Lodge in Linsted. He married Elizabeth, Daughter to Christopher Blore of Renham in Kent, Esq; by whom he had

[1st Ld.] JOHN, his Heir, who in 1611, the 9th of James 1, was knighted, and in the 14th created Baron of Teynham, in Gratitude for his Loyalty to Q. Elizabeth, and for being the first that proclaimed K. James in the C. of Kent. He married Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to John Parke of Malmaine in the said C. Esq; and, dying in 1618, left

[2d Ld.] CHRISTOPHER, his Heir, and two Daughters; Elizabeth, married to George, Son and Heir to William Lord Vaux; and Jane, to Sir Robert Lovel, Kt: And the said Christopher, their Brother, marrying Catherine, Daughter to John le Bourne of Sutton St. Michael in the C. of Hereford, Esq; by her had John, his Heir, and William.

[3d Ld.] JOHN, who, in 1622, succeeded, was made Kt of the Bath at the Creation of Henry Prince of Wales; and by Mary, Daughter to William Lord Petre, had three Sons, and four Daughters; Catherine, who died unmarried; Elizabeth, married to Sir John Arundel of Lanherne in the C. of Cornwall, Kt; Mary, a Nun, at Gheat in Flanders; and Margaret, who died young.

Of the Sons, which were Christopher, Francis, and William, the latter was drowned in the River Seine, unmarried; Francis married Anne, Daughter to William Walker of Bringwood in the C. of Hereford, Esq; at that Time Maid of Honour to Catherine Q. of England; and

[4th Ld.] CHRISTOPHER, the eldest, in 1627, succeeded his Father, and married first Mary, Daughter to

Sir

Sir Francis Englefield of Wotton-Basset in Wilts, Kt, by whom he had a Son, John, who died before him, unmarried, and a Daughter, Frances, who was married to John Wildman of Becket in the C. of Berks, Esq; Member of Parliament for Wotton-Basset, whose Son, having no Issue, left his Estate to the late Visc. Barrington, Father of William-Wildman, the present Visc. Barrington; but, taking to his second Wife, Philadelphia, Daughter to Edward Knolles of Grove-Park in the C. of Southampton, Esq; by her he had Christopher, his Heir, and Thomas.

[5th Ld.] CHRISTOPHER, who, in 1673, succeeded, married Elizabeth, only Daughter to Francis Brown, Visc. Montagu; and by her had four Sons and seven Daughters; Elizabeth, Mary, Philadelphia, Winifred, Anne, Frances, and Catherine; whereof, the latter was married to William Sheldon, Esq; Frances, to Rowland Bellaſſie, Esq; Winifred, to Thomas Stoner of the C. of Oxford, Esq; and Mary and Philadelphia were both Nuns. Of the Sons, which were

[6th Ld.] JOHN, Christopher, Henry, and Thomas, the eldest succeeded his Father, and to him succeeded

[7th Ld.] CHRISTOPHER, his Brother: But, they both dying unmarried,

[8th Ld.] HENRY, the next Brother, became Heir, and was one of the Lords of the Bedchamber to K. Geo. 1. He married first Catherine, Daughter to Philip Smythe, Visc. Strangford in Ireland; and by her, who died the 16th of April, 1711, had two Sons, Philip and Henry, and a Daughter, Elizabeth, married to Charles Jernegan, and died Nov. 14, 1756. He married secondly Mary, a Daughter to Sir John Gage of Firle in Suffex, Bart, by whom he had no Issue. But by Anne, his third Wife, second Daughter to Thomas Lennard, Earl of Suffex, and Widow of Richard-Lennard Barret of Bellhouse in the C. of Essex, Esq; he had two Sons, (Charles, who married Miss Treverley, by whom he left several Children, and died in 1755; Henry, a Clergyman, married a Daughter of William Chetwin, Esq;) and a Daughter, Anne. Her Ladyship

ship was in her own Right Baroness Daere. His Lordship, dying on the 16th of May, 1723, was succeeded by

[9th Ld.] PHILIP, his eldest Son, who dying at Paris on the 1st of June, 1727, in the 19th Year of his Age, was succeeded by

[10th Ld.] HENRY, his Brother, who, in July 1733, married a Daughter of Edmund Powel of Sandford in Oxfordshire, Esq; and Sister to the Lady of Sir Francis Carleton of Watperry, Bart, by whom he hath had Miss, 1. Anthony, born March 12, 1741, died on the 26th of July following; 2. Mary-Catherine, born Dec. 24, 1742; 3. Winifred, born Dec. 1743; 4. Christopher, died Sept. 15, 1747; 5. Thomas, born Feb. 3, 1744.

A R M S.

Party per Fess, Sapphire and Topaz, a Pale, and three Roebucks Heads erased counter-changed.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Lion rampant, Diamond, holding a Ducal Coronet between his Paws, Topaz.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Buck of the last; on the sinister, a Tiger, regardant, Pearl.

M O T T O.

Spes mea in Deo.

Chief S E A T.

At Linsted-Lodge near Feverham, in the County of Kent.

MAYNARD,

MAYNARD, Lord MAYNARD.

XXI. **T**HE Right Honourable Charles Maynard, Baron Maynard of Estainea, and Baronet, (English Honours); and Baron Maynard of Wicklow in Ireland.

Created Baronet June 24, 1611, the 9th of James 1; Baron Maynard of Wicklow, May 30, 1620, the 18th of that Reign; and Baron Maynard of Estaines Parva in the County of Essex, March 14, 1627, the third of Charles 1.

Of this Family, which appears to be of good Antiquity, was John Maynard of Axminster in the C. of Devon, who, in the Reign of Edward 3, served the Black Prince in the Wars against France; and from him, in a direct Male Line, descended Nicholas Maynard of the same Place, Esq; who died the 10th of Henry 8.

He married Margaret, Daughter to John Ellis of Ellis in the C. of Devon, by whom he had John Maynard, his Heir, who was Member of Parliament for St. Alban's, and was one of the thirty-nine Members, who, in the 1st of Q. Mary, absented themselves from Parliament, rather than join in receiving the Pope's Authority into England; for which they were indicted in the King's Bench. He married first Margaret, Daughter to Ralph Rowlet of Sandridge and St. Alban's in the C. of Hertford, Esq; and Coheir to her Brother Sir Ralph Rowlet, Kt, by whom he had a Son, Ralph Maynard of St. Alban's, Esq; He married to his second Wife Anne, Daughter to Robert Perrot, Esq; and Widow of John Bridge, Esq; by whom he had Sir Henry Maynard, Kt, who was Secretary to William Lord Burleigh, Lord High-Treasurer of England, and served in three Parliaments for St. Alban's, viz. the 28th, 30th, and 39th of Eliz. and in the 43d for the C. of Essex, where he purchased the Manor of Estaines, now the chief Seat of this noble Family.

He married Susan, Daughter and Coheir to Thomas Pearson, Esq; Usher of the Court of Star-Chamber, and by her

her had eight Sons and two Daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir Edward Bainton of Bromham in the C. of Wilts, Kt; and Mary, who died unmarried: Of the Sons, Sir John, the second, was of Tooting in Surry, and a Kt of the Bath. He married Mary, Daughter of Sir Thomas Myddelton of Chirk-Castle in the C. of Denbigh, and left a Son, Sir John, who married Catherine, Daughter of John Rushout, Esq; and Sister of Sir James Rushout, who was created a Bart, and by her, who afterwards was married to Francis Buller of Chillingham in the C. of Cornwall, he had a Daughter and Heir; who married, first, another Francis Buller of Chillingham, Esq; secondly, William Adams, Esq; Son of Sir William Adams, Bart, by Anne, third Daughter of the said John Rushout, Esq; thirdly, Sir Rushout Cullen, Bart, Son of Sir Abraham Cullen, Bart, by Abigail, eldest Daughter of the said John Rushout, Esq; Charles, the third Son of Sir Henry Maynard, was Auditor of the Exchequer, and settled at Walthamstow. He married Mary, Daughter of Zeger Corfellis of London, Merchant; by whom he, among other Children, had Sir William Maynard, Bart, so created the 33d of Charles 2, Grandfather of the present Sir William.

[1st Ld.] And WILLIAM, the eldest Son of Sir Henry, succeeding his Father, was, by K. James 1, created a Baronet, and Baron of Wicklow; and was also, by K. Cha. 1, created Lord Maynard of Estaines in England. He married first the Lady Frances Cavendish, Daughter to William Earl of Devonshire, by whom he had no surviving Issue; secondly, Anne, sole Daughter and Heir to Sir Anthony Everard of Langleys in the C. of Essex, Kt, by whom he had William, his Heir, and five Daughters, Susan, Jane, Anne, Elizabeth, and Mary; of whom, the latter was married to Sir Ralph Bovey of Longstone in the C. of Cambridge; Elizabeth, to John Wroth of Loughton in the C. of Essex, Esq; and Anne, to Sir Henry Wroth of Durans in the Parish of Enfield in Middlesex, Kt; Jane, married to Edward Eyre of the County of Galway, Esq; whose youngest Daughter and Coheir Mar-

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garet married Francis Annesley of Balifay in Ireland, Esq; third Son of John, Brother to Arthur the first Earl of Anglesea; but the eldest died unmarried: And

[2d Ld.] WILLIAM, who succeeded his Father, was Comptroller of the Household to K. Ch. 2, and K. Jam. 2. He married first Dorothy, Daughter and sole Heir to Sir Robert Banaster of Pessenham in the C. of Northampton, Kt, by whom he had two Sons; secondly, the Lady Margaret Murray, Daughter to James Earl of Dysart in Scotland, and Sister to the Dutchess of Lauderdale, by whom he had a Son, Henry, and a Daughter, Elizabeth, married to Sir Thomas Brograve of Hammels in the C. of Hertford, Bart. Of the Sons by his first Wife, which were Banaster, his Heir, and William, the latter married first Jane, Daughter and Coheir to Sir John Prescot, Kt, by whom he had no Issue; but by his second Wife, who was Susan, sole Daughter and Heir to Thomas Evans of Bow in Middlesex, Esq; he had two Sons, Thomas and Prescot, and a Daughter, Anne.

[3d Ld.] BANASTER, who succeeded his Father in his Honours, married the Lady Elizabeth Grey, only Daughter to Henry Earl of Kent, and by her had eight Sons, and three Daughters, and died on the 2d of March, 1717-18, in the 76th Year of his Age.

Of the Daughters, who were Amabella, Dorothy, and Elizabeth, the second was married to Sir Robert Heslridge of Nofely in the C. of Leiceſter, Bart; and the eldest to Sir William Lowther of Swillington in the C. of York, Bart, and was Mother of the present Sir William.

And of the Sons, which were William, Banaster, Henry, Banaster, Anthony, Robert, Grey, and Charles, Grey was Yeoman of the Robes to Q. Anne; but William, the eldest, dying on the 7th of March, 1716-17, in the fiftieth Year of his Age, and Banaster, the second, dying young,

[4th Ld.] HENRY, the third, succeeded his Father, as Lord Maynard. He dying unmarried in Dec. 1742, was succeeded by his next surviving Brother,

[5th Ld.]

[5th Ld.] GREY, who, also dying unmarried in April 1745, was succeeded by his only surviving Brother,

[6th Ld.] CHARLES, now Lord Maynard, who is yet unmarried.

A R M S.

Pearl, a Chevron Sapphire, between three sinister Hands erect, couped at the Wrist, Ruby.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Stag trippant, Topaz.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Stag proper; on the sinister, a Talbot Pearl, pyed Diamond, and gorged with a plain Collar, Ruby.

M O T T O.

Manus justa Nardus.

Chief S E A T.

At Easton-Lodge, near Dunmow in the County of Essex.

LEIGH, Lord LEIGH.

XXII. **T**HE Right Honourable Edward Leigh, Lord Leigh of Stonely, and Baronet.

Created Baronet June 29, 1611, the 9th of James 1; and Baron Leigh of Stonely in the County of Warwick, July 1, 1643, the 19th of Charles 1.

This ancient Family of Leigh, which took their Denomination from the Lordship of High-Leigh in the C. of Chester, and was there seated long before the Norman Conquest, determining in one Daughter and Heir, who was married to William Venables, second Son to Sir William Venables

Venables of Kinderton in the said C. she brought him that Inheritance, and had a Son,

JOHN, who took the Name of Leigh, and was stiled Leigh of Booths. He married Mabel, Daughter to Sir William Baguley of Baguley in the C. of Chester, Kt, by whom he had three Sons, John, Peter, and Robert; of which, the youngest, who was seated at Adlington, marrying the Daughter and Heir of Norley, from that Match sprung the Leighs of Ridge; of which Line were the Leighs of Wellington; a second Son whereof was

Sir THOMAS LEIGH, Kt, who, in the first of Elizabeth, was Lord-Mayor of London. He married Alice, Daughter to ~~—~~ Barker of Haghmon in the C. of Salop, Esq; and by her had Rowland Leigh of Loughborough; Sir Thomas Leigh of Stonely, Kt; and William Leigh of Newnham-Regis; which William had a Son, Francis, who in 1618, the 16th of James I, was created a Baronet; as in 1628, the 4th of Cha. I, he was created Lord Dunsmore; and in 1644, in Recompence for his Loyalty to that King, he was created Earl of Chichester.

He married Audrey, Daughter to John Butler of Bramfield, and by her had two Daughters; Elizabeth, married to Thomas Wriothesly, Earl of Southampton; and Mary, to George Villiers, Visc. Grandison: But, having no Issue Male, and the Title of Earl of Chichester ceasing in this Family, we return to

Sir THOMAS LEIGH, his Father's Brother, who, in the 9th of James I, was created a Bart. He married Catherine, Daughter to Sir John Spencer of Wormleighton in the C. of Warwick, Kt, by whom he had Sir JOHN LEIGH, Kt; who, dying in his Father's Life-time, left a Son,

[1st Ld.] THOMAS, who succeeded his Grandfather, and was also a Kt, and, by K. Charles I, was created Lord Leigh of Stonely. He married Mary, third Daughter and Co-heir to Sir Thomas Egerton, Kt, Son of Thomas Visc. Brackley, Lord High-Chancellor of England, and by her had four Sons and three Daughters; of which, Elizabeth was married to John Lord Visc. Tracy in Ireland;

Vere,

Veré, to Sir Justinian Isham of Lamport in the C. of Northampton, Bart; and Ursula, to Sir William Bromley of Baggington in the C. of Warwick: And of the Sons, which were THOMAS, Charles, Ferdinand, and Christopher, the eldest was knighted at Stonely, and died in his Father's Life-time, leaving Issue by Jane, Daughter to Patrick Fitz-Maurice, nineteenth Baron of Kerry in Ireland, (who married secondly Mr. Richard Giffard of Hampshire, by whom she had a Son Fitz-Maurice, to whom his Grandmother, Lady Kerry, left her personal Estate) Thomas, his only Son, and three Daughters, Honora, Mary, and Jane; of which, the eldest was first married to Sir William Egerton, Kt, second Son of John the second Earl of Bridgewater, and, after his Decease, to Hugh Lord Willoughby of Parham; Mary, to Arden Bagot of Pipe-hall in the C. of Warwick, Esq; and Jane, to William Visc. Tracy. And the said

[2d Ld.] THOMAS, their Brother, who succeeded his Grandfather, and died in Nov. 1710, marrying Eleanor, eldest Daughter to Edward Watson, Baron of Rockingham, by her had four Sons and four Daughters; of which, Eleanor, the youngest, was married to Thomas Verney, Esq; eldest Son to George Lord Willoughby of Broke; and Anne died in Sept. 1734: And of the Sons, Charles, the youngest, who married the Lady Barbara Lumley, Sister to the Earl of Scarborough, was several Times elected to Parliament for Warwick, Higham-Ferrers, and the C. of Bedford, and died July 28, 1749, and his Lady died Jan. 4, 1755; and

[3d Ld.] EDWARD, in 1710, succeeded his Father. He married Mary, sole Daughter and Heir to Thomas Holbeck of Fillongley in the C. of Warwick, Esq; by Elizabeth, sole Daughter and Heir of Bernard Powlett, Esq; a Descendant of William the first Marq. of Winchester, and by her, who died in Sept. 1743, had Issue two Sons, Edward, who died in his Father's Life-time, in Aug. 1737, and Thomas his Successor, and one Daughter; and, dying at Stonely, in March 1737-8, was succeeded by

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[4th Ld.] THOMAS, his only surviving Son. He married first Maria-Rebecca, Daughter of

, by whom he had Issue, 1. Thomas, who died young; 2. Another Thomas, who died in 1741; 3. Edward; 4. Mary: This Lady dying Dec. 6, 1746 he married in Dec. 1747, to his second Wife, Catherine, Daughter of Rowland Berkeley of Cotheridge in the C. of Worcester, Esq; by whom he left a Daughter, Anne, born Oct. 28, 1748; and, dying Nov. 30, 1749, was succeeded by his only Son,

[5th Ld.] EDWARD, now Lord Leigh.

A R M S.

Ruby, a Cross engrailed Pearl, in the dexter Canton a Lozenge Topaz.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, an Unicorn's Head erased, Silver, armed and maned Gold.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Unicorns Pearl, armed and maned as the Crest.

Chief S E A T S.

At Stanley and Flethamsted in the County of Warwick.

BYRON, Lord BYRON.

XXIII. **T**HE Right Honourable William Byron, Lord Byron.

Created Lord Byron of Rochdale in the County of Lancashire, Oct. 24, 1643, the 19th of Charles 1.

Of this Name of Byron there were two that lived in the Reign of William the Conqueror, which were Ralph and Ernysius; the latter then holding thirty-two Lordships in the C. of York, and twenty-eight in the C. of Lincoln; and from RALPH, the former, who held eight in the C.

of Nottingham, and five in the C. of Derby, descended HUGH BYRON, Esq; to whom succeeded ROGER, who lived in the Reign of K. John; and from him descended Sir John Byron, Kt of the Bath, who married Anne, eldest Daughter of Sir Richard Molineux, Kt, Sister to Richard the first Visc. Molineux in Ireland, and by her had

[1st Ld.] Sir JOHN BYRON of Newsted in the C. of Nottingham, who, at the Coronation of K. Charles 1, was made Kt of the Bath.

He was also in that Reign Field-Marshal of all his Majesty's Forces in the Cs of Worcester, Salop, Chester, and North-Wales, and, being in divers sharp Engagements with the Rebels, was thereupon created Baron, as above, with Limitation of that Honour to the Heirs Male of his Body lawfully begotten, and, for Want thereof, to every of his fix valiant Brothers, Richard, William, Thomas, Robert, Gilbert, and Philip, (who had followed his Example) and the Heirs Male of their Bodies respectively.

He married first Cicely, Daughter to Thomas Lord De La War; and afterwards, in 1644, Eleanor, Daughter to Robert Needham, Visc. Kilmurry in Ireland, Widow of Peter Warburton of the Lodge in Cheshire, Esq; to whom she was married at eleven Years old, in 1638, and left her a Widow in 1641; but, dying in 1652, without Issue by either,

[2d Ld.] RICHARD, his next Brother, became Heir; who by his second Wife, Elizabeth, youngest Daughter to Sir George Booth of Dunham-Massey in the C. of Chester, Bart, had no Issue; but by his first, who was Elizabeth, Daughter to George Rosel of Ratcliff upon Trent in the C. of Nottingham, Esq; he had William, his Heir, and a Daughter Catherine, married to Sir William Stanhope of Shelford in the C. of Nottingham.

[3d Ld.] WILLIAM, who succeeded, married to his second Wife Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir George Stonehouse of Radley in the C. of Berks, Bart; by whom he had no Issue; but by his first, who was Elizabeth, Daughter to John Visc. Chaworth in Ireland, he had five Sons and five

five Daughters, Elizabeth, Catherine, Mary, Anne, and Juliana; whereof, Catherine was married to Arthur Cole, Lord Ranelagh in Ireland; the rest died unmarried; as did all the Sons, except

[4th Ld.] WILLIAM, who in 1695 succeeded his Father, and in the Reign of Q. Anne was one of the Gentlemen of the Bedchamber to George Prince of Denmark: And his Lordship taking to his first Wife, the Lady Mary Egerton, Daughter to John Earl of Bridgwater, and she dying of the Small-Pox, Apr. 12, 1703, a few Weeks after her Marriage, he took to his second the Lady Frances-Wilhelmina, third Daughter to William Bentinck, Earl of Portland, and by her, who died the 31st of March, 1712, had three Sons, and one Daughter, viz. George, William, William - Henry, and Frances, who all died young; but his Lordship taking to his third Wife Frances, second Daughter to William Lord Berkeley of Stratton, by her (who, in Aug. 1740, married Sir Thomas Hay, Bart.) had five Sons, William, born Nov. 5, 1722; John, born Nov. 8, 1723, made Capt. of the Vanguard Man of War in 1755, married in Aug. 1748, to Miss Trevanion; Richard, born Oct. 28, 1724, is Student of Christ-college, Oxford; Charles, born April 6, 1726, and died May 16, 1731; George, born April 22, 1730, Ensign in Major-General Howard's Regiment of Foot; and a Daughter, Isabella, born Nov. 10, 1721, married to Henry now Earl of Carlisle. And their Father dying at Newsted-Abbey on the 8th of Aug. 1736, was succeeded by

[5th Ld.] WILLIAM, his eldest Son, by his third Lady, who married March 28, 1747, Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir of Charles Shaw of the C. of Norfolk, Esq; by whom he has had Issue, 1. William, born June 7, 1748, who died the May following; 2. Another William, born Oct. 27, 1749; 3. A Daughter, born July 24, 1751, and a Daughter Jan. 17, 1755.

A R M S.

Pearl, three Bendlets enhanced, Ruby.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Mermaid, with her Comb and Mirror, all proper.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Horses, Chestnut.

M O T T O.

Crede Byron.

Chief S E A T S.

At Newsted-Abbey and Bullwell-Park, near Nottingham.

W A R D, Lord W A R D.

XXIV. **T**HE Right Honourable John Ward, Lord Ward of Birmingham, and Recorder of the City of Worcester.

Created Baron Ward of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, March 23, 19 Charles 1, 1643-4.

The Ancestors of this noble Lord were anciently of the C. of Norfolk, as Sir William Dugdale, and other Genealogists agree; of which C. was SIMON WARD, who had large Possessions in the Reign of Edw. 1, and was in France and Scotland in the Reigns of K. Edw. 2 and 3. It appears by Rymer's *Fœdera*, that in the 18th of Edw. 2, he had the King's Precept to be at Portsmouth, the Sunday after Midlent, to go with John Earl Warren into Guienne, for the Relief of the King's Subjects in those Parts; and, in the 1st of Edw. 3, had Orders to be at Carlisle with Horse and Arms, and his whole Service, to go against the Scots. Contemporary

temporary with him was THOMAS WARD, who, in the 12th of Edward 3, going with the King into Flanders, had Letters of Protection, from the 23d of May, till All-Saints Day following: And JOHN WARD was Lord-Mayor of London, the 49th of Edw. 3. In the 14th of Rich. 2, SIMON WARD, and others, had the King's Leave to tilt with some of the Scots: And, in the Reign of Q. Elizabeth, RICHARD WARD was Cofferer of the Household. WILLIAM WARD, descended from the Wards of Norfolk, (as our Genealogists agree) was Jeweller to K. Charles the 1st's Queen; and, having a very ample Fortune, Edward Sutton, Lord Dudley, bestowed Frances, his Grandaughter and Heir, on HUMBLE WARD, Esq; Son and Heir of the said William. She was the sole Daughter and Heir of Sir Ferdinando Sutton, Kt of the Bath, who died in the Life-time of his Father, Edward Lord Dudley, before-mentioned; who dying June 23, 1643, the said Frances became Baronesse Dudley, being descended from John de Sutton, who, in the Reign of K. Edw. 2, married Margaret, eldest Daughter of Roger de Someri, Baron of Dudley, Sister and Coheir of John de Someri, Baron of Dudley, who died the 15th of Edw. 2, leaving her the said Margaret, who was then thirty-two Years of Age, and Joan, the Wife of Thomas Botetourt, twenty-nine Years of Age, his Sisters, and next Heirs: And, on the Partition of the Inheritance, Margaret had for her Property the Castle of Dudley in Staffordshire, also the Town of Dudley in Worcestershire; the Manor of Seggesley, Chase of Penshet, and Manor of Swynford-Regis in Staffordshire, with divers other Manors; all which descended to John, her Son and Heir, who, in the 16th of Edw. 3, was summoned to Parliament as Baron Dudley, and died the 33d of Edw. 3. The said Roger and John de Someri were lineally descended from John Baron de Someri of the C. of Cambridge, who, before the Reign of Rich. 1, married Hawyse, Sister and Heir of Gervase Paganel, Baron of Dudley, lineally descended from Gervase Paganel, who married Phyllis, Daughter and sole Heir of Athelstan, who built the Castle of Dudley,

ley, and was a Descendant from Dudd Earl of Coventry, who espoused Effri, Daughter of Edmund Ironside, King of England.

[1st Ld.] Which Frances, Baroness Dudley, was with her Husband, HUMBLE WARD, Esq; in Oxford, when her Grandfather, Edward Lord Dudley, died; and on the 24th of June, 1643, he was knighted by K. Cha. I; and, having brought seasonable Supplies to his Majesty, he was, on the 23d of March ensuing, advanced to the Dignity of Baron Ward of Birmingham in the C. of Warwick. He died Oct. 4, 1670, leaving the Lady Frances, his Wife, Baroness of Dudley, who died in a very advanced Age in 1701. They had Issue three Sons;

[2d Ld W. and 1st^h Ld D. and W.] EDWARD, who, on the Death of his Father, succeeded to the Title of Lord Ward, and, on the Death of his Mother in 1701, to that of Lord Dudley, and died the 8th of Aug. the same Year 1701. He married Frances, Daughter of Sir William Brereton of Hanford in the C. of Chester, Bart, and Sister and at length sole Heir to Sir Thomas Brereton, by whom he had three Sons and three Daughters; of which Sons, John, the eldest, died unmarried; Ferdinando-Dudley died unmarried in 1718; Catherine was married to John Grey of Endfield-Hall in Staffordshire, Esq; Humbletta died young; Lettice was married to Thomas Porter, Esq;

WILLIAM, the second Son, died in his Father's Lifetime, May 1692. He married Frances, Daughter of William Dilke of Maxtock-Castle in the C. of Warwick, (by Honora, third Daughter of Humble, the first Lord Ward) by whom he had three Sons, Edward, John, who died an Infant, and William; also a Daughter, Frances, married to William Lea of Grange in the C. of Salop, Esq; whose Son, Ferdinando-Dudley Lea, is Lord Dudley.

[3d Ld W. and 2d Ld D. and W.] EDWARD, the eldest, succeeded his Grandfather in Honours and Estate in 1701; and having married Diana, Daughter of Thomas Howard of Ashted in Surry, Esq; Son of Sir Robert Howard, Kt, Brother to the Earl of Berkshire, died on the

the 28th of March, 1704, in his Minority, leaving his Lady, who died May 17, 1709, then big with Child of

[4th Ld W. and 3d Ld D. and W.] EDWARD, Lord Dudley and Ward, who dying on the 6th of Sept. 1731, unmarried, his Honours and Estate devolved on

[5th Ld W. and 4th Ld D. and W.] WILLIAM, his Uncle, who also dying unmarried in May 1740, the Barony of Dudley devolved on the Heir General, Ferdinando-Dudley Lea, above-mentioned; and the Title of Lord Ward, by virtue of the Limitation to the Heirs Male, descended to John Ward of Sedgley-Park in the C. of Stafford, Esq; Grandson of William Ward of Willingsworth in the Parish of Sedgley in the C. of Stafford, Esq; third Son of Humble, who was created Lord Ward, his second having died an Infant.

Which WILLIAM WARD of Willingsworth aforesaid died in Jan. 1713-14, and by Anne, Daughter and sole Heir of Thomas Parkes of Willingsworth, Esq; by Rebecca his Wife, who was the Heir of the Bodleys, left Issue William, his Heir, and three Daughters; Frances, married to Robert Pigot of Chetwynd in Shropshire, Knight of the Shire for the C. of Huntingdon in several Parliaments; Jane, to Daniel Jevon; and Rebecca, who died unmarried.

Their Brother, WILLIAM WARD, Esq; served in Parliament for the C. of Stafford, in the Reign of Queen Anne, and in the first of the late King, and died on the 25th of Oct. 1720. He married Mary, Daughter of John Grey of Endfield-Hall in the C. of Stafford, Esq; (third Son of Henry the first Earl of Stamford) by Mary, his first Wife, Daughter of Sir Francis Woolridge, Bart, by whom he left Issue two Sons and two Daughters:

[6th Ld W.] JOHN, now Lord Ward; William, deceased; Frances, married to George Rook of St. Laurence in Kent, Esq; Son and Heir of Sir George Rook, Kt, Admiral of Great Britain; and Anna, unmarried.

Which John, Lord Ward, served in the first Parliament of the present King for Newcastle Under-Line, and on the 26th of Dec. 1723, married Anna-Maria, Daughter of

Charles Bouchier, late of the City of Dublin, Esq; by Barbara, his Wife, Daughter of Richard Harrison of Balls in the C. of Hertford, Esq; by whom he hath Issue one Son, John, born in 1724, and, she dying on the 12th of Dec. 1725, he married on the first of Jan. 1744-5, to his second Wife, Mary, Daughter of John Carver of St. George's Hanover-Square, Esq; by Mary, his Wife, Daughter of John Warner of Brakewaite in the West Riding of the C. of York, Esq; by whom he has Issue now living William, born Jan. 21, 1750.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st Chequy, Or and Azure, a Bend Ermine. 2d Or, a Lion rampant queüé, Vert. 3d Topaz, two Lions Passant-guardant Paleways, Azure. 4th Pearl, a Cross Flory, Sapphire.

C R E S T.

In a Ducal Coronet Or, a Lion's Head Azure.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Angels haired and winged, Or, their under Robe Sanguine, and their uppermost Azure.

M O T T O.

Comme je fue.

C h i e f S E A T S.

At Dudley-Castle, Sedgley-Park, and Himpley-Hall, all in the County of Stafford; the last of which is his Lordship's chief Residence.

LANGDALE, Lord LANGDALE.

XXV. **T**HE Right Honourable Marmaduke Langdale,
Lord Langdale.

Created

Created Lord Langdale of Holme in Spaldingmore in the County of York, Feb. 4, 1658, the 10th of Cha. 2.

Of this Family, which derive their Surname from the Town of Langdale in the Hundred of Pickering in the C. of York, of which they were Lords in the Reign of Ric. 1, was ANTHONY LANGDALE of Santon and Haughton in the said C. who died in 1577.

He married Joan, Daughter to Thomas Vavasor of Cop-pingthorpe in the C. of York, and by her had a Son, PETER, who succeeded him, and marrying Anne, Daugh-ter to Michael Wharton of Beverley-Park in the C. of York, Esq; had Issue

[1st Ld.] Sir MARMADUKE LANGDALE of Holme in Spaldingmore, Kt, who, in the Time of the Grand Re-bellion, greatly manifested his Loyalty to K. Cha. 1, and at his own Charge raised three Companies of Foot, and a Troop of seventy Horse, for his Service; with which Forces he fell upon a Party of Scots at Corbridge in Northumber-land, and put them to Flight; and afterwards became Com-mander in Chief of the Forces sent against Col. Rossiter in Lincolnshire, whom he also defeated. He likewise marched against General Fairfax, and put him to Flight, and re-lieved Pomfret-Castle, at that Time besieged by a great Body of Northern Rebels; but, when the King was deliver-ed up (by the Scots) to the English Parliament, he was defeated at Preston, and imprisoned in Nottingham-Castle; from whence finding Means to escape beyond Sea, he attended K. Charles 2, during his Exile (at Bruges in Flanders); who, in Consideration of his great and faithful Services and Sufferings, created him Baron Langdale of Holme, &c. and to the Heirs Male of his Body.

He married Lenox, Daughter to Sir John Rhodes of Barlborough in the C. of Derby, Kt, and had two Sons, Marmaduke and Philip, and two Daughters, Lenox and Mary; whereof

[2d Ld.] MARMADUKE, the eldest, in 1661, suc-ceeded his Father. He married Elizabeth, Daughter to Tho-mas Savage of Beeston in the C. of Chester, Esq; Brother

to John Earl Rivers, and had Marmaduke, his Heir, and two Daughters; Jane, married to Michael Amne of Frickley in the C. of York, Esq; and Elizabeth, to Hugh Smithson, Esq; at that Time Son and Heir to Sir Jerome Smithson of Stanwick in the same C. Bart; and their Grandson is the present Earl of Northumberland. And

[3d Ld.] MARMADUKE, who (in 1702) succeeded his Father, marrying Frances, Daughter to Richard Draycote of Painsley in the C. of York, Esq; was Father of another Marmaduke, and two Daughters; whereof, Elizabeth was married to Peter Middleton of Stockeld in the same C. Esq; and Frances, to Nicholas Blundell of Crosby in the C. of Lancaster, Esq; And the said

[4th Ld.] MARMADUKE, her Brother, who, on the 12th of Dec. 1718, succeeded his Father, and is now Lord Langdale, marrying Elizabeth, youngest Daughter to William Lord Widrington, by her has, 1. Marmaduke, his Heir apparent, who married Constantia, Daughter of Sir John Smythe of Acton-Burnel in the C. of Salop, Bart, by whom he has two Daughters, Constantia and Elizabeth; 2. Dorothy, married to Sir Walter Vavasor of Haselwood in Yorkshire, Bart; 3. Elizabeth, who is unmarried.

A R M S.

Diamond, a Chevron between three Estoils Pearl.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Star as in the Coat.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Bulls Diamond, armed, maned, and hooped Pearl.

M O T T O.

Foy en Tout,

Chief S E A T S.

At Holme in Spaldingmore in the County of York; and at Dalton in the same County.

BERKELEY,

BERKELEY, Lord BERKELEY.

XXVI. **T**HE Right Honourable John Berkeley, Lord Berkeley of Stratton, one of his Majesty's Most Honourable Privy-Council, and Captain of his Majesty's Band of Gentlemen Pensioners.

Created Lord Berkeley of Stratton in the County of Cornwall, May 19, 1658, the 10th of Charles 2.

The Descent of this ancient and illustrious Family the Reader may find at large under the Title of Berkeley, Earl of Berkeley; and that MAURICE BERKELEY of Berkeley-Castle in the C. of Gloucester, who died in 1326, the 19th of Edw. 2, had three Sons; whereof, Thomas, the eldest, succeeded him; and from MAURICE, the second, descended the Berkeleys of Bruton in the C. of Somerset; of which Family was

[1st Ld.] Sir JOHN BERKELEY, Kt, who was Governor to James Duke of York; and his prudent Management in that Station, together with his other eminent Qualities, so recommended him to K. Cha. 1, that he became greatly in his Favour. In 1642 he brought a considerable Supply of Arms and Ammunition out of Holland, for his Majesty's Service, and was afterwards made General of his Forces in Cornwall, where joining with Sir Ralph Hopton, he obtained several Victories against the Rebels, particularly at Bradock, Saltash, Launceston, and Stratton; and laying Siege to Exeter, not only reduced it to the King's Obedience, but most valiantly repulsed their Fleet then at Topsham, under the Command of Robert Earl of Warwick, and taking three of their Ships in that Harbour, was thereupon made Governor of that City, and General of his Majesty's Forces in the C. of Devon.

In 1658 he was created Lord Berkeley of Stratton, and in 1670 made Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, where he continued three Years, and then was sent Ambassador to France; and by Christian, Daughter to Sir Andrew Riccard (President of the East-India Company) and Widow, first of
Sir

Rich
 Sir John Goyre, Kt, Alderman of London, and secondly of Henry (Lord Kenfington) ^{3d} Son to Henry Earl of Holland, he had four Sons, and a Daughter, Anne, who was married to Sir Dudley Cullum of Hawsted in Suffolk, Bart. Of the Sons, which were

[2d Ld.] CHARLES, John, Maurice, and William, the third died young; and the eldest, who succeeded his Father, dying in the Streights unmarried,

[3d Ld.] JOHN, the second, became Heir, and in the Reign of K. William was made Admiral of the Blue, Colonel of the second Regiment of Marines, Groom of the Stole to George Prince of Denmark, and First Gentleman of his Bedchamber. He married Jane, sixth Daughter to Sir John Temple of East-Sheen in Surry, Kt. (afterwards Countess of Portland); but, dying Feb. 27, 1696-7, and leaving an only Daughter, Mary, who died at three Years of Age the 20th of March following, the Honour devolved upon

[4th Ld.] WILLIAM, the youngest, who in the Reign of K. William was Master of the Rolls in Ireland. In 1710 he was made Chancellor of the Dutchy of Lancaster, and one of the Privy-Council, and on the 29th of Sept. 1714, first Commissioner of Trade and Plantations; and marrying Frances, seventh and youngest Daughter of the aforesaid Sir John Temple, by her, who died in 1707, had three Sons and four Daughters.

Of the Daughters, which were Jane, Frances, Barbara, and Anne, the second was married to William Lord Byren, and afterwards to Sir Thomas Hay, Bart; Barbara, to John Trevanion of Carhays St. Michael in Cornwall, Esq; Anne, to James Cocks, Esq; Member of Parliament for Rygate, who was brought to-bed of a Son in Jan. 1738-9, and died in a few Days. Of the Sons, which were John, William, and Charles, the second was, on the 7th of Oct. 1728, appointed one of the Commissioners for victualling the Navy, but died Mar. 25, 1733, on board the Tyger (of which he was Captain) in his Passage from Africa to Barbadoes; Charles, in the Year 1745, married Frances, Daughter

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Daughter of Col. John West, and Great Granddaughter of Sir Peter Killegrew of Arwenack in the C. of Cornwall, by whom he has Issue Frances-Jane-Sophia, a Son born Aug. 21, 1749, and a Daughter, Oct. 2, 1750. His Lordship, dying Mar. 24, 1740-41, was succeeded by his eldest Son,

[5th Ld.] JOHN, now Lord Berkeley of Stratton; who, in Jan. 1742-3, was appointed Captain of the Yeomen of the Guard, which he resigned Feb. 18, 1745-6, and the 20th of Nov. 1756, was made Captain of his Majesty's Band of Gentlemen Pensioners.

ARMS.

Ruby, a Chevron Ermine, between ten Crosses pattée, Pearl.

CREST.

On a Wreath, an Unicorn passant Ruby, armed the same.

SUPPORTERS.

Two Savages, with Clubs over their Shoulders, and wreathed about their Temples and Loins with Ivy, all proper.

MOTTO.

Pauca suspexi, pauciora despexi.

Chief SEATS.

At Abbey-Bruton in the County of Somersfet, and at Kensington in Middlesex.

ARUNDEL, Lord *ARUNDEL* of
TRE RISE.

XXVII. **T**HE Right Honourable John Arundel, Lord
Arundel of Tre rise.

Created

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Created Lord Arundel of Trerise in the County of Cornwall, Mar. 23, 1663-4, the 16th of Charles 2.

Of this ancient Family, whose Ancestors came into England at the Time of the Norman Conquest, and have been seated at Trerise from the Time of K. Edward 3, was Sir JOHN ARUNDEL, Kt, who was Vice-Admiral to Kings Henry 7 and 8, and in the 14th of Henry 7, in a sharp Encounter at Sea, overcame and took Prisoner Duncan Campbell, the great Scotch Pirate; for which valiant Enterprize he was highly praised and rewarded by the King: From whom descended the Lord ARUNDEL of WARDOUR, and

JOHN, who, in the Reigns of Q. Elizabeth, K. James 1, and K. Cha. 1, was Kt of the Shire in divers Parliaments for the C. of Cornwall; and, upon the Breaking out of the Grand Rebellion, took Arms for his Majesty, together with four of his Sons, whereof two of them lost their Lives. He also most valiantly held out the Castle of Pendennis, which was long besieged both by Sea and Land.

[1st Ld.] RICHARD, his eldest Son, who personally attended his Majesty in his Army, was one of the Commanders in the first Battle he had with the Rebels in the C. of Warwick, and therein greatly signalized his Courage; as likewise at the Battle of Lansdown, and other Battles and Sieges, in which he received many Wounds; and, though at length he lost his whole Estate by the Rebels, yet he did not at all desert his Majesty's just Interest; wherefore, in Consideration of these his great Actions and Sufferings, and in Memory of his Father's Services, he was created a Baron as above, and to the Heirs Male of his Body. He married Gertrude, Daughter to Sir James Bagg of Saltham, Devon, Kt, Widow of Sir John Slanning, Kt, by whom he had Issue John, who died in his Childhood, and another

[2d Ld.] JOHN, his Heir, who by his first Wife, Margaret, Daughter to Sir John Ackland of Columb-John, Devon, Bart, and Sister and Heir to Sir Arthur Ackland, Bart, had another John, who succeeded him, and a Daughter, Gertrude,

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Gertrude, who married Sir John Bennet of Hoskins in the C. of Hereford; and by his second Wife, Barbara, Daughter to Sir Henry Slingsby of Redhouse in the C. of York, Bart, had a Son, Richard, Member in all the Parliaments of his late and present Majesty, for Knaresborough, who in April 1726 was made Surveyor of his Majesty's Works, and in May 1731 Surveyor of his Majesty's private Roads; in June 1737, he was appointed Master and Warden of his Majesty's Mint; in Dec. 1744, he was made one of the Lords of the Treasury, in June 1746 Treasurer of the Chamber, and in Nov. 1748 Clerk of the Pipe in his Majesty's Exchequer. He married, Sept. 2, 1732, the Lady Frances Manners, Sister to the Duke of Rutland.

[3d Ld.] JOHN, by the first Wife, became Heir; and marrying Jane, Daughter to Dr. William Beau, Bishop of Landaff, by her had

[4th Ld.] JOHN, the present Lord, born Nov. 21, 1701, who on the 24th of Sept. 1706, succeeded his Father in his Honour; and in 1722 married Elizabeth, Sister to Thomas the third Earl of Stafford, by whom he has no Issue.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th Diamond, six Swallows close, 3, 2, 1, Pearl; 2d and 3d Diamond, three Chevronels Pearl, all for Arundel.

C R E S T.

On a Chapeau Ruby, turned up Ermine, a Swallow Silver.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Panthers guardant, Topaz, spotted of various Colours, incensed proper (i. e. with Fire issuing out of their Mouths and Ears.)

M O T T O.

Nulli Præda.

Chief

Chief S E A T.

At Trerise near St. Columb in Cornwall.

CRAVEN, Lord CRAVEN.

XXVIII. **T**HE Right Honourable Fulwar Craven, Lord Craven.

Created Lord Craven of Hampsted-Marshal in the County of Berks, Dec. 11, 1665, the 17th of Charles 2.

Of this Family, which was anciently seated at Appletreewick in Craven in the C. of York, was John Craven, Esq; who lived in the Reigns of Henry 7 and 8, and had Issue three Sons; Henry, (of whom hereafter) William, and Anthony; of which, William married Beatrix, Daughter of John Hunter, and had Issue Sir William Craven, Kt, who, in 1611, was Lord-Mayor of London; and marrying Elizabeth, Daughter to William Whitmore of London, Esq; by her had two Daughters; Mary, who was married to Thomas Lord Coventry, and was Mother of the first Earl of Coventry; and Elizabeth, to Percy Herbert, Lord Powis; and

[1st Ld.] WILLIAM, his Heir, who in 1626, the 2d of Ch. 1, was created Lord Craven of Hampsted-Marshal, with Remainder to John and Thomas, his Brothers; the elder, who, in the 18th of Charles 1, was created Lord Craven of Ryton in the C. of Salop, married Elizabeth, Daughter of William Lord Spencer, Sister of Henry Earl of Sunderland, and died without Issue; as did Thomas, his Brother; and the said William, Lord Craven of Hampsted-Marshal, assisting his Majesty and his Son in the Time of their Troubles, with several considerable Supplies, was by the latter, in the 16th of his Reign, advanced to the Dignity of Visc. Craven of Uffington in Berks, and Earl of Craven in the C. of York, and died on the 19th of April, 1687: And, because both his Brothers were dead without Issue, the Title of Lord Craven of Hampsted-

Hampsted-Marshall, for Want of Issue Male of his own Body, was then also limited to Sir William Craven of Lenchwick, and Sir Anthony, his Brother; and, in Failure of Issue by them, the said Title, in 1665, the 17th of Cha. 2, was granted to Sir William Craven of Combe in the C. of Warwick; of whose Descent we shall give an Account. We therefore return to HENRY, eldest Son to John Craven, first-mentioned, who by his Wife, Mrs. Sherwood, had three Sons, William and Thomas, who died without Issue, and ROBERT, who succeeded to the Estate at Appletreewick, and married Mary Brockden, by whom he had, 1. Henry, who died without Issue. 2. Sir William of Lenchwick, to whom the Barony was limited, as above-mentioned: He married Mary, Daughter of Ferdinand Lord Fairfax, and left an only Daughter, Elizabeth, married to Theophilus Leigh, Esq; 3. Sir Thomas, of whom hereafter. 4 and 5. Robert and John, who died unmarried. 6. Sir Anthony Craven of Spersholt in the C. of Berks, Kt, to whom also the Barony was limited. He married Elizabeth, Daughter of Baron Polnitz of Marc in Germany, and died in 1670, without Issue. 7. A Daughter, Margaret, married to Thomas Craven, a Descendant from John Craven of Appletreewick, first-mentioned, who by her had Sir William Craven of Winwick in Northamptonshire, who died in 1707, and Sir Robert Craven, Master of the Horse to the Queen of Bohemia, who died in 1672.

Sir THOMAS, the third Son of Robert, married Anne, Daughter of Francis Proctor of Beckwith in the C. of York, and dying in 1682, left Issue Sir WILLIAM CRAVEN of Combe, to whom the Title was limited in 1665, and three Daughters; Mary, married to Sir Edmund Andros of the Isle of Guernsey; Alice, to William Topham of Hebden in Craven, Esq; and Margaret, to Christopher Dawson of Langcliffe-Hall near Settle in Craven, Esq; Sir William, dying before the Honour descended to him, left Issue by Mary, Daughter to Sir Christopher Clapham of Bemestly in the C. of York, Kt, eight Sons, and five

Daughters; Margaret, Mary, Martha, Elizabeth, and Anne. The Sons were

[2d Ld.] WILLIAM, who, by virtue of the last Limitation, succeeded to the Title; 2. Thomas, who died young; 3. John, who died unmarried; 4. Robert, who died in 1710, being then Member of Parliament for Coventry; 5. Christopher, who died unmarried; 6. Anthony, who died an Infant; 7. Henry; 8. Charles, who was of Lenchwick in Worcestershire, and Governor of Carolina in the Reign of Q. Anne, and died Dec. 26, 1754. He married Elizabeth, Daughter of ——— Staples, Esq; and by her (who in Oct. 1755, married Jemmet Raymond, Esq;) had Issue three Sons, Charles, John, and Robert. William, who was the second Lord, married Elizabeth, Daughter to Humberton Skipwith, Esq; Son and Heir apparent to Sir Fulwar Skipwith of Newbold-Hall in the C. of Warwick, Bart; and, dying on the 9th of Oct. 1711, by her, who died May 16, 1704, left three Sons,

[3d Ld.] WILLIAM, Fulwar, and Robert; of which, the youngest died unmarried, and the eldest succeeded to the Title of Lord Craven; and, in June 1721, marrying Anne, only Daughter to Frederick Tilney of Rotherwick in the C. of Southampton, Esq; by her (who died on the 5th of Feb. 1729-30, in the 26th Year of her Age) had an only Daughter, who died on the 21st of Nov. 1725. He dying in Aug. 1739, was succeeded by his only Brother,

[4th Ld.] FULWAR, the present Lord.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th, Pearl, a Fess between six Cross Crosets fitchy, Ruby; 2d and 3d, Topaz, five Fleurs de Lis in Cross, Diamond; a Chief wavey, Sapphire.

C R E S T.

On a Chapeau Ruby, turned up Ermine, a Griphon of the last, beaked Gold.

SUPPOR-

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Grifhons as the Crest.

M O T T O.

Virtus in Actione consistit.

Chief S E A T S.

At Combe-Abbey in the County of Warwick; at Hampsted-Marshall near Newberry, and at Ashdown-Park near Lambourn, both in the County of Berks.

CLIFFORD, Lord CLIFFORD.

XXIX. **T**HE Right Honourable Hugh Clifford, Lord Clifford.

Created Lord Clifford of Chudley in the County of Devon, April 22, 1672, the 24th of Charles 2.

The Descent of this noble Family may be found at large under the Title of Clifford, Baronefs Clifford; and that THOMAS, who was the 10th Lord, marrying Elizabeth, Daughter of Thomas Lord Roos of Hamlake, left Issue John, from whom descended Margaret, now Baronefs Clifford; Sir William, who married Anne, Daughter and Coheir of Thomas Lord Bardolph, died without Issue; and Sir LEWIS, from whom descended the Lord Clifford of Chudley, and those of Wiltshire and Kent; who by Eleanor, his Wife, had a Son, William, and a Daughter, married to Sir Philip la Vache, Kt of the Garter. Sir Lewis was Kt of the Garter, and Commander in Chief of the City of Carlisle, and twice sent Ambassador to France by K. Rich. 2, and died the 4th of Henry 4. WILLIAM, his only Son, married Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Sir Arnold Savage, Kt, and Widow of Sir Reginald Cobham, Kt of the Garter, and Lord Cobham of Scarborough, by whom he had Issue two Sons, 1. Lewis, who

who died in the Life-time of his Father, and left Issue by Anna, Daughter of the Lord Molins, Alexander Clifford of Holm in Kent, who by Margaret, Daughter of Walter Colepeper, had Issue Nicholas and Richard, from whom the Cliffords of Kent are descended; 2. JOHN, who married Florentia, Daughter of John St. Leger, Esq; and had Issue THOMAS, his Heir, who was of Borscombe in Wilts, and married Thomafine, Daughter of John Thorpe, and had Issue WILLIAM, who by Elizabeth Vaux of Odiham, Hants, had HENRY, his Heir, who marrying Elizabeth, Daughter of William Carrant of Tumber in the C. of Somerset, left ANTHONY, his Heir: He married Anne, Daughter to Sir Peter Courtney of Ugbrook in the Parish of Caudley in the C. of Devon, Kt of the Garter, by whom he had Issue three Sons, 1. Henry, from whom descended the Cliffords of Borscombe and King's Teignton; the last of which Name there, James Clifford, Esq; left Issue Mary, his sole Heir, married to Hugh Bampfylde, Esq; who, dying in the Life-time of his Father, Sir Coplestone, left Issue Sir Coplestone Warwick Bampfylde of Poltimore in Devon, Bart, Father of Sir Richard the present Bart. William, the second Son of Anthony Clifford, had no Issue. THOMAS, the third Son, was of Ugbrook before-mentioned. In his Youth, he served in the Wars in the Netherlands, and attended Robert Earl of Essex in his Naval Expedition to Cadiz, and was twice sent Envoy by Q. Elizabeth to some of the German and Italian Princes. At the Age of fifty he took to the Study of Divinity, and, after going through all his Exercises, took the Degree of Doctor of Divinity in the Univerfity of Oxford, where he preached a Latin Sermon, but never accepted any Preferment. He died in Sept. 1634, leaving Issue by Amy, Daughter and Heir of Hugh Steplehill of Bremble in Wilts, two Sons, HUGH and Thomas; of which, the eldest married Mary, Daughter of Sir George Chudleigh of Ashton, Devon, Bart, by whom he had Issue Thomas and George, and died in 1639, being Colonel of a Regiment of Foot in the Service of the King against the Scots. Of his Sons, George, the youngest

youngest, married Elizabeth, Daughter of George Price of Esher in Surry, Esq; and had Issue George, his Heir, Elizabeth, and Margaret.

[1st Ld.] Sir THOMAS, eldest Son of Hugh, was Member of Parliament for Totness, and attended the Duke of York at Sea, where he was likewise in all those memorable Fights against the Dutch, and was afterwards sent his Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary to the Courts of Sweden and Denmark. In 1666, he was made Comptroller of his Majesty's Household, and one of his Privy-Council, and afterwards was advanced to be Treasurer of the Household, one of the Lords of the Treasury, Secretary of State, and created Lord Clifford of Chudley, and in 1672 Lord High Treasurer.

He married Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to William Martin of Lindridge in the C. of Devon, Esq; and (besides other Children, which died young) had three Sons and three Daughters; whereof, Elizabeth was married to Sir Henry Carew of Haccomb in Devon, Bart; Amy, to John Courtney of Molland in Devon, Esq; and Mary, to Sir Simon Leach, Kt of the Bath: And of the Sons, who were

[2d Ld.] HUGH, Simon, and Charles, the eldest, in 1673, succeeded his Father in his Honour. He married Anne, Daughter and Coheir to Sir Thomas Preston of Furness in the C. of Lancaster, Bart. and by her, who died in July 1734, had nine Sons and six Daughters; Elizabeth, married first to William Constable, Visc. Dunbar of the Kingdom of Scotland, and secondly to Charles Gregory Visc. Fairfax of the Kingdom of Ireland; Catherine and Mary were Nuns at Ghent; Anne was married to George Cary of Torr-Abby, Devon, Esq; Amy, to Cuthbert Constable of Burton-Constable, Yorkshire, Esq; Son of Francis Tunstall of Wycliff in the same County, Esq; by Cicely, Daughter of John Constable, Visc. Dunbar, and by the Will of William Constable, Visc. Dunbar, before-mentioned, who died in 1718, inherited the Estate and took the Name of Constable; and Preston is also a Nun at Ghent. Of the Sons, which were Francis, Thomas, Francis, William, George, Charles, Hugh, Henry, and

Lewis-Walter ; Charles, George, William, and the first Francis died in their Infancy ; Thomas, the second, who was born in 1687, married Charlotte Countess of Newburgh in Scotland, and by her, who afterwards married Charles Radcliffe, Esq; Brother to the Earl of Derwentwater, and died in August 1755, left Issue two Daughters, the Ladies Frances and Anne ; the second Francis, Henry, and Lewis-Walter died unmarried ; and on the 13th of Oct. 1730,

[3d Ld.] HUGH succeeded his Father : He married Elizabeth, Daughter of Edward Blunt of Blagdon in Devon, Esq; and Sister to the Dutchess of Norfolk, and by her, who died Jan. 1742-3, had Issue four Sons, viz. Hugh, Edward, Henry, who died an Infant, and Thomas, born after his Decease, Aug. 22, 1732 ; also two Daughters, Elizabeth, who died an Infant, and Mary. His Lordship, dying March 26, 1732, was succeeded by

[4th Ld.] HUGH, his eldest Son, above-mentioned ; who on the 17th of Dec. 1749, married the Lady Anne Lee, Sister to the late Earl of Litchfield, by whom he has Issue

A R M S.

Cheque Topaz and Sapphire, a Fess Ruby, a Crescent for Difference.

C R E S T.

Out of a Ducal Coronet Gold, a Wyvern rising Ruby.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side a Wyvern with Wings expanded of the last. On the sinister, a Monkey proper, invironed about the Loins and chained Topaz.

M O T T O.

Semper Paratus.

Chief SEATS.

At Chudley and Ugbrook near Exeter in the County of Devon, and at Cannington near Bridgwater in the County of Somerset.

BOYLE, Lord BOYLE.

XXX. **T**HE Right Honourable John Boyle, Baron of Marston; also Baron of Broghill, and Earl of Cork and Orrery.

Created Baron of Broghill in the County of Cork, Feb. 28, 1626, the 2d of Cha. 1, Earl of Orrery in the same County, Sept. 5, 1660, the 12th of Cha. 2, (Irish Honours); and Baron of Marston in the County of Somerset, (English Honour) Sept. 10, 1711, the 10th of Q. Anne.

The Descent of this noble Family the Reader may find under the Title of Boyle, Earl of BURLINGTON; and that Richard, the first Earl of that Name, marrying Catherine, only Daughter to Sir Geoffry Fenton, Kt, (principal Secretary of State, and one of the Privy-Council in Ireland) by her had seven Sons; whereof, Richard was Earl of Cork and Burlington; and

[1st Earl.] ROGER wrote several fine Plays, amongst which was that of Mustapha, Son of Solymán the Magnificent, esteemed one of the best Performances in the last Century; and in 1644 he was Governor of Limerick. In 1660 he was created Earl of Orrery, and was one of the Lords Justices, and President of Munster; and in 1663 obtained a Patent for Markets and Fairs, to be held for ever in his two Villages of Rathgogran and Ballymatra; and afterwards (to him and his Heirs) procured the said two Places to be erected into Boroughs, with the Nomination of Recorders, Town-Clerks, Clerks of the Market, and other Officers; and now they return four Members to Parliament in Ireland.

He married Margaret, third Daughter to Theophilus Howard, Earl of Suffolk, by whom he had two Sons and five Daughters; Lady Elizabeth, who was married to Foliot Wingfield, Visc. Powerscourt in Ireland; Lady Anne, who died young; Lady Margaret, married to William O'Brien, the second Earl of Inchiquin; Lady Catherine, to Richard Bret of the C. of Somerset, Esq; and Lady Barbara, to Arthur Chichester, Earl of Donegal in Ireland.

Of the Sons, who were Roger and Henry, the latter was a Lieutenant-Colonel, and died in 1691, leaving Issue by Mary, Daughter to Murrough O'Brien, the first Earl of Inchiquin (who afterwards married Admiral Dilks) four Sons and two Daughters; Elizabeth, married in 1707 to Brettridge Badham of the C. of Cork, Esq; and Margaret, to Joseph Dean of the C. of Meath, Esq; Of the Sons, which were Roger, Henry, Charles, and William, the latter was a Captain in Duke Schomberg's Regiment of Horse, and married the only Daughter of Dr. Thomas Garth; the third was Captain of the Ship Strombolo; the second was seated at Castle-Martyr; and the eldest died in 1705.

[2d Earl.] ROGER, the eldest Son of Roger Earl of Orrery, succeeding his Father in his Honour, married the Lady Mary Sackville, Daughter to Richard the fifth Earl of Dorset, and had three Sons and two Daughters; Lady Elizabeth, who died young; Lady Mary, married to Clotworthy Upton of the Kingdom of Ireland, and died in 1694. Of the Sons, who were Roger, Lionel, and Charles, the eldest died in his Infancy; and

[3d Earl.] LIONEL, succeeding his Father, and marrying a natural Daughter of Charles Sackville, Earl of Dorset, (who afterwards married Richard Boyle, Visc. Shannon) and, dying on the 23d of Aug. 1703, without Issue,

[4th Earl and 1st Ld.] CHARLES, his Brother, became Earl of Orrery, &c. In the Reign of Q. Anne, he was one of the Privy-Council, Colonel of her Majesty's Regiment of British Fuziliers, Major-General of her Majesty's

jefty's Forces, Envoy Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the States-General, Plenipotentiary at Brussels, and Member of Parliament for Huntingdon; and on the 10th of Sept. 1711, was created Baron of Marston. In the 1st of Geo. 1, he was appointed one of the Gentlemen of his Majesty's Bedchamber, and Lord Lieutenant of the C. of Somerset. His Lordship, in 1705, married the Lady Elizabeth Cecil, Daughter to John Earl of Exeter; and, dying Aug. 28, 1731, was succeeded by his only Child,

[5th Earl and 2d Ld.] JOHN, now Lord Boyle and Earl of Cork and Orrery, who was born in 1708, and on the 9th of May, 1728, married the Lady Harriot Hamilton, youngest Daughter to George Earl of Orkney, and by her, who died Aug. 22, 1732, had two Sons and one Daughter, viz. Charles Lord Boyle, born Jan. 27, 1728-9, and died Sept. 16, 1759; Hamilton Lord Boyle, born Feb. 3, 1729-30; and Elizabeth, born May 7, 1731, married to Thomas Worsley, Esq; Son of James Worsley of Pilewell in Hants, Esq; He married secondly in June 1738, Mrs. Margaret Hamilton, Daughter of John Hamilton, Esq; of Caledon in the C. of Tyrone in Ireland, by whom he hath Issue Lucy, born Nov. 1740, and Edmund, born Nov. 21, 1742.

As the late Lord hath perpetuated his Memory to the latest Posterity by the Invention of the Machine called the ORRERY; so hath the present Lord, by his inimitable Translation of Pliny's Epistles, and his Remarks on the Life and Writings of Dr. Swift.

Charles Lord Boyle and Visc. Dungarvan married, on the 11th of May, 1753, Susanna, Daughter of Henry Hoar of Stourhead or Stourton-Castle in Wiltshire, Esq; Banker in London, by whom he had Issue a Son Henry, born Jan. 19, 1754, died in 1756, and a Daughter, Henrietta, now living; and his Lordship died Sept. 16, 1759.

A R M S.

Party per Bend, Crenelle, Pearl and Ruby.

CREST.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Lion's Head crazed, Party per Pale Crenelle, as the Coat.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Lions, Party per Pale, as the Crest, the dexter Ruby and Pearl, the other Pearl and Ruby.

M O T T O.

Honor Virtutis Præmium.

Chief S E A T S.

At Britwell in the County of Bucks, near Windfor; and at Marston, near Froome, in the County of Somerset.

HAY, Lord HAY.

XXXI. **T**HE Right Honourable Thomas Hay, Lord Hay of Pedwarden, (in England) and Earl of Kinnoul, Visc. Dupplin, and Baron of Kinfaun, (in Scotland) one of his Majesty's Most Honourable Privy-Council, and Chancellor of the Dutchy of Lancaster, was appointed his Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Court of Portugal, Nov. 27, 1759.

Created Lord Hay of Pedwarden in the County of Hereford, Dec. 31, 1711, the 10th of Q. Anne; and, being Earl of Kinnoul, in the Kingdom of Scotland, under that Title, in the Scotch Compendium, the Reader may find his Descent at large. The late Lord, marrying the Lady Abigail Harley, youngest Daughter to Robert Earl of Oxford and Earl Mortimer, Lord High-Treasurer of Great Britain, by her had four Sons and six Daughters; 1. Thomas, the present Lord, who succeeded his Father July 29, 1758; in June, 1741, married Constantia, Daughter of John Kirkerle of Whenthams in Wiltshire, Esq; but she died

died in 1753, without any surviving Issue. 2. Robert, who took the Name of Drummond, from his Grandmother, and is now Bishop of St. Asaph. He married, in 1748, Henrietta Auriol, Daughter of an eminent Merchant in London. 3. John, who died in 1751. 4. Edward, made Consul at Portugal in 1754, and married Mary, Daughter of Peter Flower, Merchant in London. 5. Margaret. 6. Elizabeth. 7. Anne. 8. Abigail, 9. Henrietta, married in 1754 to Robert Roper, Esq; 10. Mary.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th Sapphire, an Unicorn erect, Pearl, armed, maned, and unguled, Topaz, within a Border Gold, charged with eight Half-Thistles proper, and as many Half-Roses Ruby, leaved, barbed, and seeded as the Thistles, joined together by way of Party per Pale, upon one Stem, given to the Family, when created Earl of Kinroul, as a Coat of Augmentation, (the Unicorn and Border being Part of the Royal Achievements of Scotland, and the Thistles and Roses conjoined, represent the Union of the two Kingdoms, in the Person of James 6) 2d and 3d Pearl, three Escutcheons, Ruby, for the Name of Hay.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, an Husbandman couped at the Knees, habited in dark Grey, with Ruffet Breeches, a Red Waistcoat, and Highland Bonnet, Sapphire, holding over his Right Shoulder a double Ox-Yoke, proper.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Husbandmen, habited as the Crest, their Stockings Ruffet, and Shoes Brown; the dexter bearing over his Shoulder the Culter of a Plough, and the other the Plough-Paddle, all proper.

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MOTTO.

Renovate Animos.

Chief SEATS.

At Brodesworth near Doncaster in the County of York,
and at Dupplin-Castle in Scotland.

WILLOUGHBY, Lord MIDDLETON.

XXXII. **T**HE Right Honourable Francis Willoughby,
Lord Middleton, and Bart.

Created Bart, April 7, 1677, the 29th of Cha. 2, and
Lord Middleton of Middleton in the County of Warwick,
Dec. 31, 1711, the 10th of Q. Anne.

The Descent of this ancient Family the Reader may find
at large under the Title of Lord WILLOUGHBY of
PARHAM; and that Sir CHRISTOPHER WIL-
LOUGHBY, marrying Margery, Daughter of Sir William
Jennens, had Issue five Sons; of which, THOMAS, the
youngest, applying himself to the Study of the Laws, was,
by King Henry 7, made Lord Chief-Justice of the Com-
mon-Pleas; and marrying Bridget, Daughter and Coheir to Sir
Robert Read, Kt, had ROBERT, his Heir, who married Doro-
thy, Daughter to Sir Edward Willoughby of Wollaton in
the C. of Nottingham, Kt, (another Branch of the an-
cient Family of the Willoughbys, descended from Sir Ri-
chard Willoughby, Kt, who, in the Reign of K. Edw. 3,
was Lord Chief-Justice of England) and by her had a Son,
THOMAS, who marrying Catherine, Daughter to Sir Per-
cival Hart of the C. of Kent, by her had seven Sons and
three Daughters; whereof, Sir PERCIVAL succeeded
him, and married Bridget, eldest Daughter and Coheir to
Sir Francis Willoughby of Wollaton, Kt, (Margaret,
another Daughter, being married to Robert Lord Spencer,
and Dorothy, another, to Sir Henry Hastings, second
Son

Son of George the fourth Earl of Huntingdon) and by her had FRANCIS, his Heir, whose Wife was the Lady Cassandra, Daughter to Thomas Ridgeway, Earl of Londonderry in Ireland, and by her he was Father of another FRANCIS, and two Daughters; Lettice, married to Sir Thomas Wendy, Kt of the Bath; and Catherine, to Clement Winstanley, Esq; And Francis, their Brother, for his eminent Virtues, and excellent Knowledge in all Sorts of Learning, was most justly admired by all Men of his Time, both at Home and Abroad. He wrote a very curious Treatise of Birds, and another of Fishes; the former published after his Decease by Mr. Ray in 1676, and the latter in 1686, and adorned with the Cuts of great Variety of Birds and Fishes.

He married Emma, Daughter and Coheir to Sir Henry Bernard, Kt, and Sister to Elizabeth, Mother to James Duke of Chandos, and, dying July 3, 1672, aged thirty-seven, by her (who afterwards married Sir Josiah Child, Bart, and was Mother of the late Richard, Earl Tilney) left two Sons, Francis, his Heir, and Thomas, and a Daughter, Cassandra, who was the second Wife of James Duke of Chandos. And the said FRANCIS, who in 1677 was created a Baronet, dying in 1688, unmarried,

[1st. Ld.] THOMAS, his Brother, succeeded, and was created Lord Middleton, as above. He was several Times Kt of the Shire for the C. of Nottingham. He married Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Sir Richard Rothwell of Stapleford in the C. of Leicestershire, Bart, by whom he had four Sons, Francis, Thomas, Rothwell, and Henry, and died on the 2d of April, 1729.

Of the Sons, Thomas, the second, was Member of Parliament for the University of Cambridge, and afterwards for Tamworth; and having married Elizabeth, sole Daughter and Heir to Thomas Southby of Burdwal in the C. of York, Esq; by her he had one Son and one Daughter; and Henry died unmarried.

[2d Ld.] FRANCIS, the eldest Brother, who was formerly Kt of the Shire for Nottingham, and also Member

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ber of Parliament for Tamworth, succeeded his Father as Lord Middleton. On the 25th of July, 1723, he was married to Mary, second Daughter to Thomas Edwards of Filkins in the C. of Oxford, Esq; Member in several Parliaments for Bristol and Wells, by whom he has had Issue, 1. Francis; 2. Thomas, who died in Dec. 1742; 3. A Daughter, who died young; and his Lordship dying August 4, 1758, was succeeded by his Son,
[3d Ld.] FRANCIS, the present Lord.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th Topaz, Fretty Sapphire, for Willoughby of Parham and Eresby; 2d and 3d Topaz, on two Bars Ruby, three Water-Bougets, Pearl, for Willoughby of Middleton and Wollaton.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, the Bust of a Man coupé and affronté, proper, crowned ducally, Gold.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Pilgrim, or Grey Fryer, in his Habit, proper, with his Beads, Cross, &c. and a Staff in his right Hand, Topaz. On the sinister, a Savage, or Wood-Man, with a Club in his exterior Hand, wreathed about his Temples and Middle with Ivy, all proper; each Supporter holding a Banner, Ruby, fringed Gold, ensigned with an Owl, Pearl, crowned ducally, and its plain Collar and Chain, Topaz; the Owl being the Crest of Willoughby of Middleton and Wollaton.

M O T T O.

Verité sans Peur.

Chief

Chief SEATS.

At Wollaton-Hall, near Nottingham; and at Middleton, near Colehill, in the County of Warwick.

TREVOR, Lord TREVOR.

XXXIII. **T**HE Right Honourable John Trevor, Lord Trevor of Bromham, and Fellow of the Royal Society.

Created Lord Trevor of Bromham in the County of Bedford, the 31st of Dec. 1711, the 10th of Q. Anne.

Of this ancient Family of Trevor, which is one of the principal in Wales, and by the Heralds of that Country deduced from the Princes thereof, was Tudor Trevor, Earl of Hereford; who marrying Ankeret, Daughter to Howel Dda ap Kedell, one of those Northern Princes, they from that Match may be allowed to date their Genealogy; but their Antiquity is otherwise indisputable, as from the frequent Mention of the Name in History, whose spreading and honourable Branches flourished in very early Ages.

In the Annals of Ireland there is Mention made of Geoffrey Lord Trevers, who lived in the Reign of K. Rich. 2, said to be a Branch of these in Britain; as also in the same Reign lived John Trevor, Bishop of St. Asaph, and Chamberlain of Chester, who continued in that Bishoprick to the 6th of Henry 6.

In the Reign of Henry 6, there lived two Brothers of this ancient Stock, which were John and Richard Trevor; the youngest whereof was Progenitor of the Trevers of Oswaldstre in the C. of Salop; and

JOHN, the elder, who was seated at Brynkinat in the C. of Denbigh, and died in 1495, in the 9th of Henry 7, left Issue by Agnes, Daughter and Heir to Peter Cambre of Poole, five Sons, who laid the Foundation of as many several Branches.

Of the said Sons, which were Robert, Edward, Richard, Roger, and Thomas, the latter married Margaret, Daughter to John Hammer of Lightwood, Esq; the fourth, who

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was seated at Planykenwick, married Gwerolla, Daughter to Rhese Lloyd of Gedor; Robert, the eldest, succeeded his Father at Brynkinate, and married Catherine, Daughter, and Heir to Llewellyn ap Howel de Mauld; Edward, the second, married Anne, Daughter to Geoffrey Kyffin, and from him descended the Viscounts Dungannon in Ireland, whereof, Mark was a zealous Loyalist, and Colonel in the Army of K. Charles I; and

RICHARD, the third Son, marrying Matilda, Daughter and Heir to Jenkyn ap David ap Gruff de Allington, by her had

JOHN TREVOR of Allington, his Son and Heir. He married Margaret, Daughter and Heir to David ap Rhese, &c. and by her was Father of another

JOHN, whose Wife was Anne, Daughter to Randal Broughton of Broughton, and by her he had four Sons, John, his Heir at Allington, Randal, David, and Edward.

JOHN, who succeeded his Father, married Mary, Daughter to George Bruges of London, Esq; and by her having four Sons, Richard, John, Sackville, and Thomas, who had all the Honour of Knighthood; the eldest, who was of Allington, married Catherine, Daughter to Roger Puleston of Emral, Esq; and by her left four Daughters, his Coheirs.

Of the said Daughters, which were Magdalen, Mary, Dorothy, and Margaret, the latter was married to John Griffith of Lynn, Esq; the third to Sir John Hanmer, Bart; the second to Jevon Lloyd of Yale, Esq; and the eldest, first to Arthur Bagenhall of the C. of Stafford, Esq; and next to ——— Terringham of Terringham in the C. of Bucks, Esq; and died in 1656.

Sir JOHN, second Son of John and Mary Bruges, was seated at Trevallin in the C. of Flint; and marrying Margaret, Daughter to Hugh Trevanion of the C. of Cornwall, Esq; by her had four Sons and three Daughters; whereof, Anne, the eldest, was married to Colonel Robert Weldon of the City of London, and by him was Mother of the Lady Trevor; Jane was married to Sir Francis Compton,
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fifth Son of Spencer Earl of Northampton; and Elizabeth, to William Masham of Otes in the C. of Essex, Esq; Ancestor to the Lord Masham.

Of the Sons of Sir John Trevor and Margaret Trevanion, which were Sir John, Charles, William, and Richard, the latter was Doctor of Physick, and died in 1676; and Sir JOHN, who in 1668, was Ambassador at France, was the same Year, on his Return Home, made one of the Privy-Council, and Secretary of State, in which Office he died on the 28th of May, 1672 (in the forty-seventh Year of his Age) just a Year before his Father, leaving Issue, by Ruth, Daughter to John Hampden of Hampden in the C. of Bucks, Esq; five Sons, John, Heir to his Grandfather, Thomas, late Lord Trevor, Richard, Hampden, and Edward.

JOHN, who succeeded his Grandfather at Trevallin, married Elizabeth, Daughter to — Clark, Esq; and Widow of — Morley of Glynd in Suffex, Esq; and by her had two Sons and two Daughters; Elizabeth, married to David Polhill of Otford in Kent, Esq; and Arabella, who was first married to Robert Heath of Lewes in Suffex, Esq; and secondly to Colonel Edward Montagu, only Brother to George Earl of Halifax: And

Of the Sons, who were John-Morley Trevor, and Thomas, the eldest succeeded his Father, and was several Times chosen to Parliament for the C. of Suffex, and for Lewes, and, dying in April 1719, was succeeded by his Son, John-Morley Trevor, Esq; Member of Parliament for Lewes, who was made a Lord of the Admiralty in 1741, and died in 1743.

Sir Sackville Trevor, the third Son of John and Mary Bruges, married Catherine, Daughter to Sir John Savage, Kt; and Sir Thomas, the fourth, (who was born on the 6th of July, 1586, a Day memorable in this Family for six successive principal Branches, who had their Birth thereon) had his Education in the Inner-Temple, was made Solicitor-General to Prince Charles, Serjeant at Law, Judge of the Common-Pleas, and Lord Chief-Baron of the Ex-

chequer; and Thomas, his Son, who was seated at Enfield in Middlesex, was on the 11th of Aug. 1641, created a Bart, whose Family is extinct. We now return to

[1st Ld.] THOMAS, second Son of Sir John Trevor and Ruth Hampden, who, being bred to the Study of the Common-Law, in 1692 was made Solicitor-General, in 1695 Attorney-General, and in 1701 Lord Chief-Justice of the Common-Pleas, in which he continued till 1714. On the 31st of Dec. 1711, he was created Lord Trevor of Bromham; on the 6th of Mar. 1725-6, he was appointed Lord Privy-Seal, and in 1727 he was declared one of the Lords Justices of Great-Britain, and, by K. George 2, was again made Lord Privy-Seal.

On the 30th of Dec. 1727, he was sworn one of the Governors of the Charter-House, and on the 8th of May, 1730, was made President of the Council; but died on the 19th of June ensuing, in the seventy-second Year of his Age.

He married first Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Colonel John Searle of Finchley in Middlesex, by whom he had two Sons, Thomas and John, who both succeeded him, and three Daughters; and by his second Wife, who was Anne, Daughter to Colonel Robert Weldon of London, Widow of Sir Robert Bernard of Brampton in the C. of Huntingdon, Bart, and Mother of the present Sir John Bernard of the same Place, Bart, he had three Sons; Robert, who took the Surname of Hampden, and was Commissioner of the Revenue in Ireland, and Envoy Extraordinary to the States-General, and married in 1743 Miss Constantia Van Kruningen, a Dutch Lady; Richard, Bishop of Durham; and Edward, who died young.

Of the Daughters by the first Wife, which were Anne, Letitia, and Elizabeth, the second married Peter Cork of Camberwell in Surry, Esq; And of the Sons,

[2d Ld.] THOMAS, the eldest, who succeeded his Father, marrying Elizabeth, only Daughter and Heir to Timothy Barrel of Cuckfield in Sussex, Counsellor at Law,

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Law, by her, who died in August 1734, left one Daughter, Elizabeth, married to Charles Duke of Marlborough; and his Lordship dying March 22, 1733, was succeeded by his Brother

[3d Ld.] JOHN, the present Lord, who the 31st of May, 1731, married Elizabeth, Daughter of that celebrated Author Sir Richard Steele, Kt, by whom he has Issue now living an only Daughter, Diana.

A R M S.

Party per Bend sinister, Ermine and Ermines, a Lion rampant, Topaz.

C R E S T.

On a Chapeau Ruby, turned up Ermine, a Wyvern rising, Diamond.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Wyverns regardant, as the latter.

Chief S E A T S.

At Bromham near Bedford; at Peckham in Surry, and at Mount-Pleasant near East-Barnet in Middlesex.

MASHAM, Lord MASHAM.

XXXIV. **T**HE Right Honourable Samuel Masham, Lord Masham, and Baronet, Remembrancer of his Majesty's Court of Exchequer, and Auditor-General to the Prince of Wales.

Created Baronet, Dec. 20, 1621, the 19th of James 1, and Baron Masham of Otes in the County of Essex, Dec. 31, 1711, the 10th of Q. Anne.

Of this Family of Masham, which, in the Reign of King Henry 6, was seated in the North Parts of England, was Sir

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JOHN

JOHN MASHAM, Kt, who died 29 Henry 6, and was buried at Thorneham in Suffolk. He left his House and Lands to his Cousin and Heir, JOHN, from whom descended THOMAS MASHAM, Esq; who was of Badwell-Ash in Suffolk, where he was succeeded by JOHN, his Son, whose Wife was Catherine, Daughter to ——— Cage of the said County, and by her he had two Sons; John, who succeeded his Father, and was Ancestor to the Mashams of the C. of Suffolk; and WILLIAM, who was Alderman and Sheriff of London. He married a Lady in Holland, by whom he had a Son, WILLIAM, and a Daughter, Catherine, married to Ralph Warcop of Oxfordshire, Esq; and her Brother, who succeeded his Father, marrying the Daughter of ——— Calton, by her had WILLIAM MASHAM of High-Laver in Essex, who was created a Baronet, as above, and elected to several Parliaments for Malden, Colchester, and Essex.

He marrying Winifred, Widow of Sir James Altham of Latton in Essex, Kt, Daughter to Sir Francis Barrington, Kt and Bart, (Son of Sir Thomas Barrington of Barrington-Hall in Essex, Kt, by Winifred, second Daughter to Henry Pole, Lord Montagu, eldest Son and Heir to Sir Richard Pole, Kt, by Margaret Plantagenet, his Wife, Daughter to George Duke of Clarence, sixth Son to Richard Duke of York, and younger Brother to K. Henry 4,) by her had a Son, WILLIAM, who, dying before him, left Issue by Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir John Trevor, Kt, (Sister to Sir John Trevor, Secretary of State to K. Cha. 2, Father of Thomas Lord Trevor) four Sons and six Daughters; Joan, married to Mark Hildesley of Lincoln's-Inn, Esq; Anne, who died unmarried; Elizabeth, married to ——— Knight of the C. of Berks, Esq; Mary, first to Mr. Brownfword, and secondly to James Hay of Glynbourn in Suffex, Esq; Margaret, to the Rev. Dr. Walker; and Jane, who died unmarried. The Sons were William, Francis, John, who died unmarried, and Trevor, who was Secretary to the Lord Lockhart, Ambassador to France at the Treaty of the Pyrenees, and attended the Earl of Rochester, Ambassador to the

the King of Poland, and the Earl of Essex, when he went Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, and died unmarried; and

WILLIAM, the eldest, succeeding his Father in the Title of Baronet, and dying unmarried also,

FRANCIS became Heir, and in 1690, 95, 1701, 2, 5, and 8, was chosen Kt of the Shire for the C. of Essex, and died March 3, 1722-3, in the seventy-seventh Year of his Age.

By his first Wife, Mary, youngest Daughter to Sir William Scot of Rouen in Normandy, Bart, Marquis de la Mezanse in France, he had eight Sons, and a Daughter, Hester, who died unmarried: And by his second Wife, Damaris, Daughter to Dr. Ralph Cudworth, Master of Christ's College in Cambridge, who died on the 20th of April, 1708, he had Francis-Cudworth Masham, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, and Accomptant-General of the said Court, and Foreign Apposer in the Court of Exchequer, who died May 17, 1731.

Of the Sons by the first Wife, William, the eldest, was a Lieutenant in the Lord of Oxford's Regiment, and died without Issue; Henry, the second, died in Ireland, unmarried; John, the third, died in Flanders; FRANCIS, the fourth, married Isabella Burnet, a near Relation of Bishop Burnet, and, dying before his Father, left a Son, FRANCIS, who succeeded his Grandfather in the Title of Baronet, but died without Issue; Winwood, the fifth, died in the Year 1709; Richard, the sixth, died abroad with Sir Charles Wheeler; Charles, the seventh, died without Issue; but

[1st Ld.] SAMUEL, the youngest, who was Page of Honour to Q. Anne, whilst Princess of Denmark, and afterwards to his Royal Highness Prince George, to whom he was also one of the Equerries, and Gentleman of the Bed-chamber, was by him preferred to be a Brigadier-General of her Majesty's Armies, and in 1710 was chosen Member of Parliament for Ilchester, succeeding his Nephew as Baronet.

He was likewise, by *Q. Anne*, made *Cofferer* of her Household in May 1711, and re-elected to Parliament for Windsor, and in Dec. following created a Peer, as at first mentioned; and taking to Wife *Abigail*, Daughter to *Francis Hill*, an eminent Turkey-Merchant, and Sister to General *John Hill* of Enfield-Green in Middlesex, by her, who died Dec. 6, 1734, had three Sons, and two Daughters, *Anne* and *Elizabeth*; of which, the latter died in the fourteenth Year of her Age; and the eldest, who on the 11th of April, 1726, was married to *Henry Hoar* of Stourton-Castle in Wilts, Esq; elder Brother of *Sir Richard Hoar*, Knight, Lord-Mayor of London in 1746, died on the 4th of March, 1726-7. And of the Sons, who were *George*, *Samuel*, and *Francis*, the eldest and youngest died unmarried, and *Samuel* married, in Oct. 1736, to *Miss Harriot Winnington*, Sister to *Thomas Winnington*, Esq; one of the Lords of the Treasury, by whom he has no Issue. In Oct. 1736, he was appointed Groom of the Bedchamber to the Prince of Wales, in which Post he continued till the Death of his Royal Highness; and in Jan. 1745-6, was made Deputy-Paymaster of the Forces to the said Mr. Winnington. His Lordship, dying Oct. 16, 1758, was succeeded by his Son [2d *Ld.*] *SAMUEL*, the present Lord.

A R M S.

Topaz, a *Fess humette*, *Ruby*, between two *Lions passant*, *Diamond*.

C R E S T.

On a *Wreath*, a *Griphon's Head coupé*, *Gold*, between two *Wings erect*, *Ruby*.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a *Lion Diamond*, on the sinister a *Leopard guardant*, proper; each having an *Eastern Crown*, *Topaz*.

M O T T O

M O T T O.

Mihi Jussa Capeffere,

Chief S E A T.

At Otes-Hall near Harlow in Essex.

FOLEY, Lord FOLEY.

XXXV. **T**HE Right Honourable Thomas Foley, Lord Foley.

Created Lord Foley of Kidderminster in the County of Worcester, Dec. 31, 1711, the 10th of Q. Anne.

Of this Family of Foley, which has been of ancient standing in the C. of Worcester, and several adjoining Counties, was RICHARD FOLEY of Stourbridge, Esq; who, by the prudent Acquisitions to his former Estate, laid the Foundation of those large Possessions, which are now in the Hands of this Family. By his first Wife, he had a Son, Richard, whose Issue Male are extinct: By his second Wife, Alice, Daughter to Thomas Brinley, Esq; he had five Sons and four Daughters; and of the Sons, who were Edward, Thomas, Robert, Samuel, and John, the latter was a Turkey-Merchant, and died a Batchelor; the fourth was Father of three Sons, viz. Samuel, Bishop of Down and Connor in Ireland, John, Doctor of Physick, and Solomon, Doctor of Divinity; from Robert, the third, the Foleys of Stourbridge are descended; Edward, the eldest, died without Issue; but THOMAS, the second, was a Person of great Esteem in the Age he lived, and he left such a lasting Monument of his pious and charitable Disposition, as will perpetuate his Name to the latest Posterity.

At his own Cost, he raised and suitably endowed a noble Hospital at Old Swynford in the C. of Worcester, for the Maintenance, Cloathing, Education, and Putting-out of sixty Boys, who were to be admitted between the Ages of seven and eleven Years.

He married Anne, Daughter to John Brown, Esq; by the Addition of whose Fortune to his paternal Inheritance, he left, at his Decease, a very large Estate in several Counties; and by her had three Sons and two Daughters.

Of the Daughters, Martha, the eldest, was married to William Jolliffe, Esq; and Sarah, first to Essex Knightly of Fawley in the C. of Northampton, Esq; and next to John Hampden of the C. of Bucks, Esq; And of the Sons, who were Thomas, Paul, and Philip, the latter became seated at Prestwood in the C. of Stafford, and served in several Parliaments for Stafford, Bewdley, and Droitwich. He married Penelope, Daughter of William Lord Paget, and by her had two Sons, Paul, who married Elizabeth, Daughter of William Turton, Esq; and Robert, who married a Daughter of the Rev. Mr. Ralph Markland. Paul Foley of Stoke-Court in the C. of Hereford, his next Brother, was elected to several Parliaments for the City of Hereford, and was twice chosen Speaker of the House of Commons. He married Mary, Daughter of John Lane, Esq; Alderman of London, and, dying Nov. 11, 1699, left two Sons, 1. Thomas, who was one of the Commissioners of Trade and Plantations, and one of the Auditors of the Imprest, and several Times Representative for the City of Hereford: He married Anne, sole Daughter and Heir to Essex Knightly, as before mentioned, and, dying Dec. 10, 1737, left Issue Thomas, his Heir, then Member for the City of Hereford, and in the next Parliament for the County, in the room of the Earl of Oxford: He married, in May 1744, Miss Catherine Gwynn, and died April 3, 1749. 2. Paul Foley, Esq; Barrister at Law, who married Susanna, Daughter of Henry Hoar, Esq; and Sister to Sir Richard Hoar, Kt, Lord-Mayor of London in 1746. And

THOMAS, eldest Son of Thomas and Anne Brown, who was of Whitley-Court in the C. of Worcester, and was several Times Representative in Parliament for the said County, marrying Elizabeth, Daughter to Edward Ashe of Heytesbury in Wilts, by her had four Sons, and four Daughters, Elizabeth,

Elizabeth, Anne, Sarah, and Mary; of which, the latter was married to Sir Blundel Charlton, Bart; Sarah, to Edward Harley, Esq; Anne, to Salway Winnington of Stanford-Court in the C. of Worcester, Esq; and had Issue Thomas Winnington, Esq; late Paymaster of the Forces, and a Daughter, Harriot, married to Samuel Masham, Esq; Son of the Lord Masham; and Elizabeth, the eldest, to Robert Earl of Oxford, by whom she was Mother of Edward, the second Earl of that Name, the Marchioness of Carmarthen, and the Countess of Kinnoul.

Of the Sons, who were Thomas, Edward, Richard, and John, the latter was drowned in the terrible Storm in 1719, with Admiral Beaumont; the third, who was one of the Prothonotaries of the Court of Common-Pleas, was several Times chosen Member of Parliament for Droitwich, and died March 27, 1732, unmarried; Edward, his next Brother, was also chosen for the same Place in several Parliaments, and died in April 1747; and

[1st Ld.] THOMAS, the eldest, having very much improved himself in the Knowledge of Men and Things by his Travels beyond Sea for several Years, after his Return was chosen in Parliament for Stafford; and distinguishing himself with a becoming Regard for his Religion, Prince, and Country, Q. Anne, in the 10th of her Reign, was pleased to advance him to the Dignity of Lord Foley, as first mentioned.

This noble Lord married Mary, Daughter and sole Heir to Thomas Strode, Esq; Serjeant at Law, and by her (who died in Dec. 1735) had four Sons and two Daughters, viz. Thomas; Strode-Talbot, Edward, Richard, Mary, and Elizabeth, all five deceased.

His Lordship died Jan. 22, 1732-3, and was succeeded in Honour and Estate by his only surviving Son,

[2d Ld.] THOMAS, now Lord Foley, who is unmarried,

A R M S.

Pearl, a Fefs ingrailed, between three Cinquefoils, within a plain Border, Diamond.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Lion rampant, Silver, holding between his Paws an Escutcheon of the Arms.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Lions Pearl, semée of Cinquefoils, Diamond.

M O T T O.

Ut profim.

Chief S E A T.

At Whitley-Court in the County of Worcester.

BATHURST, Lord BATHURST.

XXXVI. **T**HE Right Honourable Allen Bathurst, Lord Bathurst, Privy-Counsellor, and Treasurer to the Prince of Wales.

Created Lord Bathurst of Battleſden in the County of Bedford, Dec. 31, 1711, the 10th of Q. Anne.

This Family was originally ſeated at a Place called Bathuſt, near Battle-Abbey, in-Suffex, and was poſſeſſed of ſeveral Eſtates, in Kent. LAWRENCE BATHURST was of Cranbrooke in Kent, and left Iſſue three Sons, 1. Edward; 2. Robert, from whom deſcended the Family at Lechlade in the C. of Glouceſter, (of which Edward was created a Bart in 1643) and thoſe of the C. of York; 3. John, from whom thoſe of Ockham in the C. of Hants are deſcended. EDWARD, the eldeſt, had Iſſue LAN-

CELOT

CELOT BATHURST of Franks in Kent, who lived in the Reign of Q. Elizabeth.

He built a very large Mansion-house at his said Manor of Franks, which, with the Estate, descended to Sir EDWARD BATHURST, his Grandson, and still, remains in the Family. He married Judith, Daughter of Richard Randolph, Esq; and had Issue four Sons; of which, GEORGE, the youngest, in 1610, married Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Edward Villiers, Esq; Great-Grandson to Sir John Villiers of Brooksbey in the C. of Leicester, Kt, (from whom descended the late Duke of Buckingham of that Name) and with her had the Manor of Hawthorpe in the C. of Northampton, where he settled, and by her had twelve Sons and four Daughters. Of the Sons, Ralph was educated at Trinity-College, Oxford: He was Dean of Wells, and, dying June 14, 1704, in the eightieth Year of his Age, was buried in Trinity-College Chapel, which he built at his own Expence. Villiers, another Son, was also educated at the same College, and was Judge-Advocate of the Navy, and died in 1711. Moses and Henry also lived to an advanced Age; and leaving no Issue Male, and several of the other Brothers dying in the Service of King Charles I, the Estate devolved to the Heirs of

Sir BENJAMIN, the youngest, who, being Treasurer of the Household to Q. Anne, whilst Princess of Denmark, was, after her Accession to the Throne, made Cofferer of the Household, and died on the 27th of April, 1704.

He married Frances, Daughter to Sir Allen Apsley, (by Frances, his Wife, Daughter and Heir to John Peter of Bowkay in the C. of Devon, Esq;) by whom he had three Sons, and a Daughter, Anne, who was married to Henry Pye of Farringdon in the C. of Berks, Esq; by whom she left thirteen Children; of which, Henry, the eldest, is Kt of the Shire for the C. of Berks; and Elizabeth is the Wife of Sir Willoughby Aston of Wadley in the said County, Bart.

Of the Sons, who are Allen, Peter, and Benjamin, the latter, who is seated at Lidsey in the C. of Gloucester, was

was Member in the four last Parliaments for Gloucester, and in the three preceding for Cirencester. He married Mrs. Pool of Kemble in the C. of Wilts, who died in Childbed in 1738, having had twenty-one Children, whereof seven survived; of which, Thomas, the eldest, on the 24th of Aug. 1749, married Miss Fazakerly, an Heiress of 30000 l. Fortune: He married secondly, in March 1742, Miss Brodrick, Daughter of the Rev. Dr. Brodrick, Brother to Alan Visc. Middleton. The second, whose Seat is at Clarendon-Park in the C. of Wilts, was Member of Parliament for Wilton in 1710, for Cirencester in the first Parliament of the present King, and for Salisbury in the succeeding Parliament. He married first, the Daughter and Heir to Charles Howe of Gritworth in the C. of Northampton, Esq; third Son of John Howe of Langar, Esq; Ancestor of Lords Howe and Chedworth; and secondly the Lady Selina Shirley, (eldest Daughter to Robert Earl Ferrers, by his second Wife) by whom he had a Daughter, Selina, married first in 1748 to Arthur Cole, Lord Ranelagh, who died in 1755, and secondly to Sir John Elwill, Bart; and married in 1755 to William Tracy, Esq; only Son of the Lord Tracy.

[1st Ld.] ALLEN, the eldest Son, was several Times chosen Member of Parliament for Cirencester, and in 1711 was created Lord Bathurst, as above, and marrying Catherine, Daughter and Heir to Sir Peter Apsley, Son of Sir Allen, above-mentioned, by her had four Sons and five Daughters; 1. Benjamin, born Aug. 12, 1711, who in Dec. 1732, married Elizabeth, eldest Daughter of Charles Earl of Ailesbury, and in the second Parliament of his present Majesty was Kt of the Shire for the C. of Gloucester, and is now Member for Cirencester. 2. Henry, who in 1745 was made one of his Majesty's Counsel at Law, and in 1747 Solicitor-General, and afterwards Attorney-General to the late Prince of Wales; and in 1754 one of the Justices of the Court of Common-Pleas, who, Sept. 19, 1754, married Mrs. Phillips. 3. John, deceased. 4. Allen, Fellow of New-College, Oxford. 5. Frances, married

married August 5, 1731, to William Wodehouse, Esq; (Son and Heir Apparent to Sir John Wodehouse, Bart,) Kt of the Shire for Norfolk, and at the same Time Member for Cirencester, who died the 31st of March, 1735; and secondly to James Whitshed, Esq; Member of Parliament for the Borough of Wicklow in Ireland, and for St. Ives in Cornwall, and died in May 1756. 6. Catherine, married in April 1737 to Henry Courtney, Esq; Brother to Sir William Courtney, Bart. 7. Jane, married in April, 1744, to John Buller, Esq; Member of Parliament for East-Loe. 8. Eleonora, married April 13, 1752, to the Rev. Mr. Benson, Nephew to the late Bishop of Gloucester. 9. Anne, married in Sept. 1752 to Edward Urmston, Esq; of the first Regiment of Foot-Guards.

In July 1742, his Lordship was appointed Captain of his Majesty's Band of Gentlemen-Pensioners, which he resigned in 1744, and in 1757 was made Treasurer to the Prince of Wales.

ARMS.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th Diamond, two Bars Ermine, in Chief three Croffes pattée, Topaz, for Bathurst; 2d and 3d Pearl, on a Crofs Ruby, five Escallop Shells Topaz, a Crescent Difference for Villiers.

CREST.

On a Wreath, a dexter Arm in Mail, embowed, and holding a Club with Spikes, all proper.

SUPPORTERS.

Two Stags Pearl, each gorged with Gemels Ermine.

MOTTO.

Tien ta Foy.

Chief

Chief S E A T S.

At Ruskins near Colnbrook in the County of Bucks, and at Cirencester in the County of Gloucester.

ON SLOW, Lord O N S L O W.

XXXVII. **T**HE Right Honourable Richard Onslow, Lord Onslow, and Baronet, Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the County of Surry, and High-Steward of Guildford, and Kt of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Created Baronet Nov. 21, 1660, the 12th of Charles 2 ; and Baron Onslow of Onslow in the County of Salop, and of West-Clandon in the County of Surry, June 25, 1716, the 2d of George 1.

Of this Family, which took their Surname from the Town of Onslow in the C. of Salop, and were Lords of it before the Reign of Henry 3, was ROGER DE ONSLOW, who had two Sons ; Thomas, who died without Issue ; and WILLIAM, his Heir, who had two Sons, RICHARD and Thomas, the former having a Son, THOMAS, who died unmarried, and was succeeded by THOMAS, his Uncle, who lived in the Time of Edw. 3 ; and he having five Sons, from Thomas, the youngest, descended the Onslows of Roddington, which became extinct in the Reign of Henry 7 ; and JOHN, the eldest, continued the Line, and by Margaret, Daughter and Heir of Madoc Kinaaston, had two Sons, Thomas, who died without Issue, and ROBERT, who married Catherine, Daughter of Richard Corbet of Morton-Corbet, Salop, and had Issue EDWARD, his Heir, who married Anne, Daughter and Heir to Richard Hoghton of Hoghton in the C. of Lancaster, and by her had four Sons ; whereof, William, the youngest, was Progenitor of the Onslows of Cliff, and Humphry of those of Onslow, both in the C. of Salop ; and from ROGER, the second Son, who resided at Shrewsbury, is descended the

Lord

Lord of whom we are speaking. He married Margaret, Daughter to Thomas Poyner of the said C. of Salop, and by her had Richard, his Heir, and Fulk, who, in the Reign of Queen Elizabeth, was Clerk of the Parliament; and RICHARD, his Brother, being bred to the Study of the Law, became Solicitor-General to the said Queen, in whose Reign he was also Speaker of the House of Commons, and marrying Catherine, Daughter and Heir to Richard Harding of Knole in the C. of Surry, Esq; with her had that Estate, which became the Seat of his Posterity, and had Issue two Sons and several Daughters; whereof, Margaret was married to Richard Threll of Denwick in the C. of Suffex; Cecily, to Sir Humphry Winch of Everton in the C. of Bedford, one of the Justices of the Common-Pleas; and Elizabeth, to Richard Hill of Blackwall in Middlesex: And of the Sons, ROBERT, the eldest, succeeded his Father; but, dying unmarried, EDWARD, his Brother, became Heir, and was knighted.

He married Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir Thomas Shirley of Westneston in Suffex, Kt, and left two Sons and three Daughters; of whom Jane, the second, married Gerard Aungier, Lord Longford in Ireland: And of the Sons, THOMAS, the eldest, married Mary, Daughter to Sir Samuel Lennard; but, dying without Issue, RICHARD, his Brother, succeeded, and was knighted at Theobalds, by K. Jam. 1, June 2, 1624. He served in three Parliaments in the Reign of K. Cha. 1 for the C. of Surry, and for the Town of Guildford in the Parliament which voted the Return of K. Cha. 2. He was a great Forwarder of the Restoration, and was a Gentleman esteemed among the politest Men of that Age; particularly the great Earl of Shaftesbury, who set a Value on his Friendship, and others of the best Quality were his Companions.

He married Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to Arthur Strangeways, Esq; by whom he had fourteen Children; whereof six Sons and five Daughters lived to Maturity; Anne was married to Sir Anthony Shirley, Bart; Catherine, to Sir Thomas Cobb, Bart; Mary, to Sir George Freeman,

Freeman, Kt of the Bath ; Jane, to Sir George Croke, Bart ; and Elizabeth, first to John Berney of Swanton, Norfolk, and secondly to Sir Francis Wyndham, Bart. Of the Sons, Arthur, the eldest, succeeded his Father. Henry, the second Son, was knighted by K. Cha. 2. and was seated at Drengwike, Suffex : He married a Daughter of Sir Richard Stidolph of Norbury, Surry, Widow of — Yates of Warnham, Suffex, Esq; by whom he had a Son, Richard, and a Daughter ; which Richard left Issue several Daughters, and one Son, Denzil, who succeeded the present Lord Onslow, as Member for Guildford, and who was afterwards Cashier and Accomptant for the Navy. Richard, the third Son, married Mary, Daughter of Sir Abraham Reynardson, Lord-Mayor of London, but died without Issue. Thomas and John, fourth and fifth Sons, died unmarried. And Denzil, the youngest, who was several Times Member of Parliament for Guildford, and afterwards for the C. of Surry, was one of the Commissioners of the Victualling-Office, and Out-Ranger of Windsor-Forest, and is now a Commissioner of the Salt-Office. He married Sarah, third Daughter and Coheir to Sir Thomas Foot, Bart, Widow of Sir John Lewis of Ledston in the C. of York, Kt and Bart, and died in 1721, without Issue. And Sir Richard, their Father, died on the 19th of May, 1664.

ARTHUR married to his first Wife, Rose, Daughter to Sir Laurence Stoughton of Stoughton in the C. of Surry, Kt, who died without leaving him any surviving Issue ; but taking to his second Mary, second of the four Daughters and Coheirs of Sir Thomas Foot, who in 1650 was Lord-Mayor of London (and afterwards created a Bart, with Remainder to the said Arthur) by her had four Sons ; Richard, his Heir ; Foot, second Son ; Arthur, and Henry, who both died unmarried. Foot served for Guildford in several Parliaments in the Reign of K. William, and in 1694 was made one of the Commissioners of the Excise, and died May 11, 1710. He married Susanna, Daughter of Thomas Anlaby of Etton in the C. of York, Widow of Arnold Colwell of Woodford in Essex, Esq; by whom he had

had Issue, 1. Arthur Onslow of Ember-Court in Surry, Esq; who was twice elected Member of Parliament for Guildford, and in the four last Parliaments Kt of the Shire for the C. of Surry; of which four he has been unanimously chosen **SPEAKER**. On the 25th of July, 1728, he was sworn one of his Majesty's Most Honourable Privy-Council; and on the 13th of May, 1729, was appointed Chancellor and Keeper of the Great Seal to her late Majesty Q. Caroline. In April 1734, he was constituted Treasurer of the Navy, which he has since resigned. He married Miss Anne Bridges, one of the Nieces of Henry Bridges of Ember-Court in Surry, Esq; by whom he had one Son, named George, made Out-Ranger of Windsor-Forest, in 1754 elected to Parliament for Rye, and married June 26, 1753, to Miss Shelly, Daughter to Sir John Shelly, Bart; and Niece to the Duke of Newcastle, by whom he had two Sons, Thomas, born March 15, 1754, and John, born Nov. 25, 1755, and a Daughter, who died Dec. 20, 1751.

2. Richard, Brother of the said Arthur, was a Lieutenant-General. In May 1745, he was made Colonel of the First Troop of Horse Grenadier-Guards, was Member of Parliament for Guildford, and died in March 1760. He married Rose Bridges, Sister of the aforesaid Anne; but, she dying in a little more than a Year after their Marriage, without Issue, he married secondly Miss Pooley Walton, Niece of Sir George Walton, Knight, by whom he had one Son, George, and a Daughter.

A Daughter of the said Foot married Mr. Drake, a Druggist in Fleet-Street, but died in March 1731.

We now return to Richard, eldest Son of Arthur, which

[1st Ld.] **RICHARD**, who succeeded his Father in his Estate, and his Uncle, Sir Thomas Foot, in the Title of Bart, was several Times Kt of the Shire for the C. of Surry, and in 1710 Member for St. Mäws. He was Speaker of the House of Commons in 1708.

On the 5th of Oct. 1714, he was constituted one of the Lords of the Treasury, and afterwards made Chancellor of the Exchequer, one of the Privy-Council, Lord Lieutenant

of the C. of Surry, High-Steward of the Borough of Guildford, Governor of the Levant-Company, and one of the Tellers of the Exchequer; and on the 25th of June, 1716, he was created Lord Onslow, as first mentioned, with Limitation, for Want of Issue of his Body, to his Uncle Denzil, and the Issue Male of his Body, and in Default, to the Heirs Male of Sir Arthur, Father of the said Sir Richard; but died on the 5th of Dec. 1717, in the sixty-fourth Year of his Age.

He married the Daughter of Sir Henry Tulse, Kt, Lord-Mayor of London, and by her had two Sons and two Daughters; whereof Elizabeth was first married to Thomas Middleton of Stansted-Mount-Fitchet in the C. of Essex, (by whom he left five Daughters, his Coheirs, of which Elizabeth married John, the second Viscount Moleworth); and secondly to Samuel Baldwin of Lymington, Esq; who died in June 1736; and Mary, his other Daughter, married Sir John Williams, Kt and Alderman of the City of London, Member of Parliament for Aldborough in Suffolk. And of the Sons, who were

[2d Ld.] THOMAS and Richard, the latter died young, and the eldest succeeded his Father in his Honours. He was several Times chosen Member of Parliament for Haslemere, Chichester, and Blechingly; and in the first Parliament of the late King, his Seat being vacated by accepting the Office of Out-Ranger of Windsor-Forest, he was chosen for the County of Surry, in the room of his Father, who was created Lord Onslow.

In 1727, he was appointed Lord-Lieutenant of the C. of Surry, as afterwards one of the Tellers of the Exchequer, and High-Steward of the Borough of Guildford; and by K. Geo. 2, in 1727, was again made Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum for Surry: And his Lordship, marrying Elizabeth, sole Daughter and Heir to Mr. Knight of Jamaica, an eminent Merchant, by her (who died in April 1731) had a Son Richard, born in the Year 1713. His Lordship, dying in June 1740, was succeeded by his said Son,

[3d Ld.]

[3d Ld.] RICHARD, now Lord Onslow, who at the Time of his Father's Decease was Member for Guildford, and succeeded him as Lord Lieutenant of the C. of Surry. In May 1741 he married Miss Mary Elwill, Daughter to the late Sir Edmund Elwill, Bart, and Sister to Sir John Elwill, Bart, the present Member for Guildford. On the 12th of March, 1752, he was elected a Kt of the Bath.

A R M S.

Pearl, a Fefs Ruby, between six Cornish Choughs, proper.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Faulcon of the last, legged and belled Topaz, trussing a Partridge, Gold.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Faulcons with Wings disclosed, proper, legged, and belled as the Crest.

M O T T O.

Semper Fidelis.

Chief S E A T.

At West-Clandon in the County of Surry.

MARSHAM, Lord ROMNEY.

XXXVIII. **T**HE Right Honourable Robert Marsham, Lord Romney, and Baronet.

Created Baronet, Aug. 22, 1663, the 15th of Charles 2, and Baron Romney in the County of Kent, June 25, 1716, the 2d of George 1.

Of this Family, which were anciently seated in the C. of Norfolk, was THOMAS MARSHAM, Esq; who, in the Reign of K. Jam. 1, was Alderman of London; and in 1625 Sir JOHN, his Son, studied the Laws in the Middle-

Temple, and in 1637 was sworn one of the Six Clerks in Chancery; but, following K. Cha. 1 to Oxford, at the Breaking-out of the Rebellion (and there continuing till the Surrender of the Garrison to the Parliament) he lost his Place, and his Estates were sequestered to the Rebels; so that, returning to London, he betook himself wholly to his Studies, and, after some Time, compounded for the Estate he had purchased in Kent.

In 1660, he served for Rochester, in the Parliament which restored K. Cha. 2, and was likewise restored to his Place in Chancery, and knighted, and three Years after created a Bart, but died in 1685. He left Issue by Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir William Hammond, two Sons, Sir John and Sir Robert.

Sir JOHN was also a studious and learned Gentleman, and made some Progress in writing an History of England, which he did not live to finish; and his only Son dying unmarried, Sir ROBERT, his Brother, became Heir to the Estate and Title of Bart, and was one of the Six Clerks in Chancery, and, dying on the 15th of July, 1703, was succeeded by

[1st Ld.] Sir ROBERT, his Son and Heir, who in 1698, 1701, 2, 8, 10, 13, and 15, was chosen Member of Parliament for Maidstone; and having upon all Occasions manifested a sincere Regard for his Country, and the House of Commons distinguishing his known Zeal and Integrity, by chusing him one of their Managers for looking into the Conduct of the late Ministry, he was thought worthy, by K. George 1, to sit in the House of Lords, and was thereupon created a Peer, as above.

This noble Lord married Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Sir Cloudesley Shovel, Kt, (who was drowned on the 22d of Oct. 1707, when he was Rear-Admiral of Great-Britain, and Admiral and Commander in Chief of the Fleet) and by her (who in Sept. 1732 married the Lord Carmichael, afterwards Earl of Hyndford, and died in Nov. 1750) left Robert, his Heir, and two Daughters; Elizabeth, married in May 1741 to Sir Jacob Bouverie, Bart,

now

Marlham, Lord Romney.

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now Viscount Folkestone, and Harriot: And his Lordship dying Nov. 28, 1724, was succeeded by his only Son,

[2d Ld.] ROBERT, now Lord Romney. He married in Aug. 1742, Miss Pym of the Island of St. Kitt's, by whom he has had Issue, 1. Robert, born in May 1743; 2. Charles, born Jan. 1745-6; 3. John, deceased; 4. Priscilla; 5. Elizabeth, born Jan. 29, 1750-1; 6. Frances, born April 1, 1755; 7. A Son, born Oct. 22, 1757; and, 8. A Daughter, born March 1, 1759.

A R M S.

Pearl, a Lion passant, in Bend, Ruby, between two Bendlets Sapphire.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Lion's Head erased, Ruby.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Lions Sapphire, Semée of Crois Croislets, and naturally gorged, Topaz.

M O T T O.

Non Sibi, sed Patriæ.

Chief S E A T S.

At the Mote near Maidstone, and at Cuxton near Rochester, in the County of Kent.

CADOGAN, Lord CADOGAN.

XXXIX. **T**HE Right Honourable Charles Cadogan, Baron of Oakley, Colonel of the second Troop of Horse-Guards, a Lieutenant-General, Governor of Gravesend and Tilbury Forts, and Fellow of the Royal Society,

Created Baron of Oakley in the County of Bucks, April 7, 1718, the 4th of George 1.

Of this ancient Family, who derive their Descent, by the Father's Side, from the British Princes of Ferlix and Powis, was WILLIAM CADOGAN of Toeftry-vach in the C. of Monmouth, Esq; whose second Son, HENRY, was seated at Llanbeder; and he marrying Catherine, Daughter to Thomas Stradling, of an ancient Family in the C. of Glamorgan, Son of Robert, younger Brother to Sir Thomas Stradling of the Castle of St. Donet, Kt, by her had the famous WILLIAM CADOGAN, Esq; who was born Feb. 5, 1601, at Cardiff in the said C. of Glamorgan.

In 1639, he was one of the Privy-Council to K. Cha. 1 in Ireland, where he was highly acceptable for his excellent Parts and Endowments; and, after the Rebellion broke out in 1641, he received a Major's Commission, and valiantly fought for his Religion, King, and Country, and some time after was constituted Governor of the Borough and Castle of Trim.

He also engaged those wicked Traitors, Phelim O'Neil, and Owen O'Rowe; and having seen what he earnestly wished for, the happy Restoration of K. Cha. 2, died the 14th of March, 1660-61, and was buried at Trim; and to him succeeded HENRY, his Son, who was Counsellor at Law; and he, dying on the 13th of Jan. 1713-14, was buried in Christ-Church in Dublin.

He married Bridget, Daughter to Sir Hardress Waller, Kt, and by her had two Sons, and a Daughter, Penelope, married to Sir Thomas Prendergast, who was killed in Flanders: And of the Sons, who were William and Charles, the eldest succeeded his Father.

[1st Ld.] Which WILLIAM, having eminently distinguished himself in the Exploits of War under K. William, and the Duke of Marlborough, on the 25th of April, 1694, was made a Colonel; as on the 25th of Aug. 1704, he was made a Brigadier, and on the 1st of Jan. 1706-7, was advanced to the Degree of a Major-General.

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On the 10th of Jan. 1708-9, he was promoted to the Post of Lieutenant-General, and for the gallant Services which he performed, both in Camp and Senate, against the foreign and domestic Enemies of Great-Britain, being thought worthy of a Seat in the House of Peers, he was, in the second Year of K. Geo. 1, created Baron of Reading.

On the 22d of June, 1716, he was elected a Kt of the Thistle; on the 12th of July, 1717, he was appointed General of all his Majesty's Forces; and on the 17th of April, 1718, was advanced to the Dignity of Baron of Oakley, Visc. Caversham, and Earl of Cadogan.

On the 18th of June, 1722, he was appointed Master-General of the Ordnance; as on the 3d of June, 1723, he was declared one of the Lords Justices during his Majesty's Absence; and died on the 17th of July, 1726, being then General of all his Majesty's Forces, Colonel of the first Regiment of Foot-Guards, Governor of the Isle of Wight, Master of the Robes to his Majesty, High-Steward of the Borough of Reading, and one of the Privy-Council.

This noble Earl married Margareta-Cecilia, Daughter of William Munter, Counsellor of the Court of Holland, and by her (who died at the Hague in Aug. 1750) had two Daughters; the Lady Sarah, married to Charles Duke of Richmond, and the Lady Margaret to Charles-John Bentinck, Esq; Uncle to the Duke of Portland; but, the said Earl their Father having no Issue Male, the Titles of Baron of Reading, Visc. Caversham, and Earl of Cadogan, became extinct, and the Barony of Oakley descended to

[2d Ld.] CHARLES, his Brother, who, in the first Parliament of K. Geo. 1, was Member for Reading, and in the succeeding Parliament for Newport in the C. of Southampton. In June 1734, his Lordship was made Col. of a Regiment of Dragoons; on the 18th of Dec. 1735, he was made a Brigadier-General, and July 17, 1739, promoted to the Rank of Major-General; in May 1743 his Lordship was appointed Colonel of the second Troop of Horse-Guards, in Nov. 1749 Governor of Sheerness,

and in June 1752 Governor of Gravesend and Tilbury Forts. He married Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir Hans Sloan, Bart, and by her has an only Son, Charles-Sloan Cadogan, who was born the 29th of Oct. 1728, and married Frances, Daughter of Henry Lord Montfort, by whom he has Issue four Sons; Charles-Henry, born June 18, 1749; William, born Jan. 31, 1752; Edward, and George; and in 1749 he was chosen Member of Parliament for the Town of Cambridge.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th Ruby, a Lion rampant reguardant Topaz. 2d and 3d Pearl, three Boars Heads coupéd, Diamond.

C R E S T.

In a Ducal Coronet Gold, a Dragon's Head Emerald.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Lion as in the Coat; on the sinister, a Dragon reguardant Emerald; each gorged with a double Tressure, flowered and counterflowered with Fleurs de Lis, Ruby.

M O T T O.

Qui invidet minor est.

Chief S E A T.

At Caversham in the County of Oxford, near Reading.

DUCIE-MORTON, Lord DUCIE.

XL. **T**HE Right Honourable Matthew Ducie-Morton, Lord Ducie de Morton in the County of Stafford; so created June 13, 1720, the 6th of George 1.

Of

Of this ancient Family, which took their Denomination from the Town of Morton in the County of Stafford, where the Family was settled in the Reign of K. Edw. 1, was MATTHEW MORTON of Ingleton, Esq; whose Son, EDWARD, marrying Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir Robert Ducie of Tortworth in the C. of Gloucester, Bart, and Sister and sole Heir to Sir William Ducie of the said Place, who was also Visc. Downe in Ireland, with her had several Lordships and Manors, which fell to the late

[1st Ld.] MATTHEW, their Son, who was Kt of the Shire for the C. of Gloucester, whose Service to his Country in Parliament, and firm Adherence to the Protestant Succession, made him thought worthy by his Majesty K. Geo. 1 to have a Seat in the House of Peers, by the Style and Title as above; and his Lordship marrying Arabella, Daughter and Coheir to Sir Thomas Prestage of the C. of Lancaster, Bart, who lost the greatest Part of his Estate in behalf of K. Charles 2, by her had three Sons and four Daughters; Elizabeth, first married to Richard Syms of Black-Heath in Kent, Esq; and secondly to Francis Reynolds of Strangeways in the County of Lancaster, Esq; Member of Parliament for Lancaster, and died Sept. 17, 1755; Mary, Arabella, and Penelope, all deceased. And of the Sons, Rowland-Lewis was Colonel of a Company in the Foot-Guards; and Charles, the youngest, married Anne, Daughter to ——— Wyat of Windsor, Esq; and had Issue by her one Son, Benjamin, who is deceased. And his Lordship, dying May 2, 1735, was succeeded by

[2d Ld.] MATTHEW, his eldest Son, now Lord Ducie, who was Member in several Parliaments for Lestwithiel, Tregony, Calne, and Cricklade: On the 14th of Feb. 1755, he was made Lord Lieutenant, Custos Rotulorum, and Vice-Admiral of the C. of Gloucester, Lieutenant of Bristol, Constable of the Castle of Brinvellis in the Forest of Dean, and Keeper of the Deer and Woods in the said Forest.

A R M S.

Quarterly, first Pearl, a Chevron Ruby, between three square Buckles, Diamond, for Morton; 2d Topaz, two Lions passant-guardant in Pale Ruby, for Ducie; 3d Pearl, on a Bend ingrailed, Ruby, a Leopard's Face between two Crescents, Silver, on a Chief Sapphire, three Catherine-Wheels, Pearl, for Hardy; 4th Quarter, as the first.

C R E S T.

Out of a Wreath, a Moor-Cock rising, proper, Comb and Wattles Ruby.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Unicorns Pearl, armed, maned, tufted, and hooped, Gold, each gorged with a Ducal Coronet, Party per Pale, Topaz and Ruby.

M O T T O.

Perseverando.

Chief S E A T S.

At Spring-Park and Tortworth in the County of Gloucester.

K I N G, Lord *K I N G*.

XLI. **T**HE Right Honourable William King, Lord King, and Baron of Ockham in the C. of Surry; so created May 27, 1725, 11 George 1.

In July 1708, the 7th of Q. Anne, Peter King, Esq; Member in several Parliaments for Beeralston, was chosen Recorder of the City of London, and on the 12th of Sept. following was knighted, and on 26th of Oct. 1714, was appointed Lord Chief-Justice of the Common-Pleas, and on the 1st of June, 1725, made Lord High-Chancellor of Great-Britain.

On

On the 3d of June, 1725, he was declared one of the Lords Justices, whilst his Majesty went to Hanover, as he was again in 1727; and on the 16th of the same Month, his Lordship having delivered up the Great Seal to his present Majesty, he was pleased to redeliver the same, and afterwards to grant him a Pension of 6000*l.* per Ann. payable out of the Revenues of the Post-Office, during his Continuance in the Office of Lord High-Chancellor.

This noble Lord, by reason of his ill State of Health, resigned that great Trust in Dec. 1733, and died the 22d of July, 1734. He married Anne, Daughter to Evan Seys of Bovierton in the C. of Glamorgan, Esq; and had four Sons and two Daughters; Elizabeth, who died in 1749, and Anne, who died in June 1751. And of the Sons, who were

[2d Ld.] JOHN, the late Lord, Peter, William, and Thomas, the second, on the 29th of Nov. 1727, was sworn into the Office of one of the Curstors of London and Middlesex, which Post he resigned on the 24th of June, 1730, to his Brother William; Thomas, in 1734, married one of the greatest Fortunes in Holland, by whom he has two Sons, Peter and Thomas, and two Daughters; and the eldest, who, at the general Election in 1734, was chosen Member of Parliament both for Exeter and Launceston, and Out-Ranger of Windsor-Forest, married in May 1726 Elizabeth, Daughter to Robert Fry of Yearty in the C. of Devon, Esq; but she dying Jan. 28, 1733-4, without Issue, and his Lordship being in an ill State of Health, was advised to go to Portugal for Change of Air, but died on his Voyage to Lisbon, on board his Majesty's Ship Ruby, the 19th of Feb. 1739-40. Whereupon the Honour and Estate descended to

[3d Ld.] PETER, his Brother, who, on the 18th of April, 1740, was appointed Out-Ranger of Windsor-Forest; and his Lordship dying unmarried in March, 1754, was succeeded by his Brother

[4th Ld.] WILLIAM, the present Lord.

A R M S.

Diamond, three Spear-Heads erect, Pearl, embued, Ruby, on a Chief Topaz, as many Pole-Axes, Sapphire.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a dexter Arm couped below the Elbow, and erect, habited Sapphire, and thereon three Ermine Spots Gold, turned down Silver, the Hand proper, grasping a Truncheon Diamond, the Top broken off, and the Bottom enamelled, Pearl.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two English Mastiffs regardant, proper, each having a plain Collar Ruby.

M O T T O.

Labor ipse Voluptas.

C H I E F S E A T.

At Ockham in the County of Surry.

MONSON, Lord MONSON.

XLII. **T**HE Right Honourable John Monson, Lord Monson, and Baronet.

Created Baronet June 26, 1611, the 9th of Jam. 1, and Baron Monson of Burton in the County of Lincoln, May 28, 1728, the 1st of George 2.

This noble Lord is descended from JOHN MONSON, who in the Year 1378, the 1st of Rich. 2, was seated at Overley in the Co. of Lincoln, and had a Son, JOHN, who, in the Reign of Henry 6, was resident at East-Reson in that County, and was an eminent Merchant of the Staple; and JOHN, his Son, marrying Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir William

liam Hansard, Kt, by her had Sir JOHN MONSON, Kt, his Heir, whose Residence was at South-Carlton in the C. of Lincoln. He married first Beatrix, Daughter to ———— Thurst, Merchant, by whom he had Thomas Monson of South-Kelsey, who died without Issue Male; but by his second Wife, Dorothy, Daughter to ———— Meere of the Marsh, he had three Sons; William; Robert, who was of Belton; and George, who was of Northop.

WILLIAM, the eldest, who succeeded his Father May 26, 1542, (and was Sheriff of the C. of Lincoln in 1547, the 1st of Edw. 6,) taking to Wife Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir Robert Tyrwhit, Kt, and dying on the 15th of Oct. 1558, left

JOHN, his Heir, who married Mary, Daughter to Sir Robert, and Sister and Coheir to Sir Thomas Hussy of Blankney in the C. of Lincoln, and had four Sons and two Daughters: Of the Sons, who were Robert, John, George, and William, the third was seated at Southam, and by Eleanor, his Wife, Daughter and Coheir to ———— Farmer, left two Sons, Robert and George; but Robert, his eldest Brother, dying without Issue,

Sir JOHN, the second, became Heir to his Father at Carlton, and was knighted at Greenwich by Q. Elizabeth. He married Anne, Daughter to Robert Dighton of Little-Stourton in the C. of Lincoln, Esq; and, dying on the 20th of Dec. 1593, left five Sons; John, who died without Issue, Sir Thomas, Sir William, Sir Robert, and Anthony; whereof, Sir William, being from his Youth in the Sea Service, was by Q. Elizabeth, in 1596, made Admiral of the Fleet in the Expedition against Spain, when Cadiz was taken and sacked, and was knighted thereupon. He was afterwards employed in several Stations; and in 1602 (with Sir Richard Levison) had the Command of a Royal Fleet, to annoy the Coasts of Spain. This Service they performed so effectually, that for many Days together no Vessels dared to go in or out of their Harbours; but their chiefest Glory was the taking of a vast Carrack of 1600 Tons, just arrived from the Indies, at Sesiabra, a small

small City in Portugal, fortified with a Castle of twelve great Guns, under which the Carraët lay; and on the West Side had eleven Gallies, each of them with five Guns mounted, and their Stern foremost. These Advantages of the Enemy did not deter the Admirals from venturing on her; and, after seven Hours Dispute, the Marquis of Santa Cruz (who was on board with three hundred Spanish Gentlemen) capitulated, delivering the Carraët and Cargo, worth a Million of Ducats. These Services recommended Admiral Monfon to the Favour of K. James and K. Cha. 1, for he lived till the Civil Wars, with an untainted Reputation for Conduct and Bravery, and, settling at Kinnersey in Surry, left Posterity. He was Compiler of a Collection of Naval Tracts, printed in 1703.

Sir Robert Monfon (fourth Son of Sir John) served in two Parliaments for Lincoln, in the Reign of Q. Elizabeth, and left Issue five Daughters, his Coheirs; Jane, married to Roger Molineux, Esq; Catherine, to John Povey, Esq; Anne, to Arthur Redhead of Howden in Yorkshire, Esq; Sarah, to Sir Vincent Corbet of Morton-Corbet in the C. of Salop, Bart, and was created (for Life) Viscountess Corbet of Lynchdale in the C. of Bucks, by Letters Patent, bearing Date Oct. 23, 1679, the 31st of King Cha. 2; and Mary, to Molineux Disney of Norton-Disney in the C. of Lincoln, Esq;

Anthony (fifth Son of Sir John) was of Northop, and by Faith, Daughter of Robert Smith of Lincoln, had five Sons, (of which, John, the eldest, left Issue) also several Daughters, whereof Jane married John Osbaldiston, Esq;

[1st Bart.] Sir THOMAS MONFON (eldest Son and Heir of Sir John and Anne Dighton) had his Education in Magdalen-College in Oxford, and in the 27th of Elizabeth, serving in Parliament for Great Grimsby, was then knighted, as three Years after he was elected High Sheriff for the said County, and in 1597 served in Parliament for the City of Lincoln. He was Master of the Armory, and Master Falconer to his Majesty; by whom, in 1611, he was created a Baronet, and lived in the Time of the Civil Wars,

Wars, the sad Effects whereof he very much lamented. He was twice brought to Trial on Suspicion of poisoning Sir Thomas Overbury, but was honourably acquitted. He married Anne, Daughter to Sir Edmund Anderfon, Lord Chief-Justice of the Common-Pleas, and by her had two Sons, which lived to Maturity, and three Daughters; Bridget, who was married to Sir John Read; Elizabeth, to Sapeot, Visc. Beaumont in Ireland; and Magdalen, to Thomas Cotton of Gray's-Inn, Esq; Of the Sons, who were Sir John and Sir William, the latter was, by King Cha. 1, created Visc. Castlemain in Ireland; but, unmindful of the Favours of his Sovereign, and his own Allegiance, sided with the Rebels, for which he was degraded of his Honours soon after the Restoration. He married first Margaret, Daughter to James Stewart, Earl of Murray in Scotland, Widow of Charles Howard, Earl of Nottingham in England; secondly, Frances, Sister to Sir Thomas Alston of Ode-Hill in the C. of Bedford, Bart, (by whom he had Alston Morison, Esq;) and his third Wife was Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir George Reresby, Bart, Widow of Sir Francis Foljamb, Bart, and also of Capt. Horner.

[2d Bart.] Sir JOHN, eldest Son of Sir Thomas, was made Kt of the Bath at the Coronation of K. Cha. 1, and in the first Parliament of that King served for Lincoln City, as in the second he did for the County. He married Ursula, Daughter and Heir to Sir Robert Oxenbridge, Kt, (by Elizabeth, his Wife, Daughter and Coheir to Sir Henry Cock of Broxburn in the C. of Hertford, Kt,) and with her had the Manor of Broxburn, &c. and died in 1683, in the eighty-fourth Year of his Age. He had Issue

Sir JOHN, his only Son, who, serving for the City of Lincoln in the Parliament which restored K. Cha. 2, was at his Coronation made Kt of the Bath, but died in his Father's Life-time, October 14, 1674. He married Judith, Daughter to Sir Thomas Pelham, Kt and Bart, Ancestor to the Duke of Newcastle, and by her had ten Sons (of which five lived to Maturity) and a Daughter, Bridget, married to Sir Charles Barrington, Bart,

[3d Bart.]

[3d Bart.] Sir HENRY, the eldest, succeeding his Grandfather in the Title of Bart, was elected for Lincoln City in the two last Parliaments called by K. Cha. 2, and in that called by K. Jam. 2; and marrying Elizabeth, Daughter to William Chyne, Visc. Newhaven in Scotland, by Gertrude, Sister to Robert the third Earl of Kingston, and dying on the 6th of April, 1718, without Issue,

[4th Bart.] Sir WILLIAM, his next Brother, became Heir. He was several Times elected to Parliament for the City of Lincoln, and for Hertford, and Heytsbury, also for Aldborough in Yorkshire; and marrying Letitia, Daughter to John Lord Powlett, and Sister to John the first Earl Powlett, and, dying on the 9th of March, 1726-7, without Issue also, we come to GEORGE, the youngest of the five Brothers, who by Anne, Daughter to Charles Wren of the Isle of Ely, Esq; had Issue five Sons; 1. John. 2. George, Member in the first Parliament of K. George 2 for Grimsby, who died unmarried, July 7, 1739. 3. Charles, who in May 1737 was made Deputy-Paymaster of the Forces. He was also Vice-Chamberlain to the late Queen, and is Member in the present Parliament for Lincoln, as he was in the two preceding. 4. Henry. 5. William, made a Commissioner of Revenue in Ireland in 1753, died in Oct. the same Year.

[1st Ld.] JOHN, the eldest, succeeded his Uncle, and was also Member of Parliament for Lincoln. On the 27th of May, 1725, he was elected Kt of the Bath, and on the 28th of May, 1728, was created Lord Monson. In June 1733, he was made Captain of the Band of Gentlemen Pensioners, and on the 25th of June, 1737, first Commissioner of Trade and Plantations. His Lordship married the Lady Margaret Watson, seventh and youngest Daughter to Lewis, late Earl of Rockingham, and by her, who died in Feb. 1752, he had three Sons; 1. John, born in July 1737; 2. Lewis, born Nov. 28, 1728; now Member of Parliament for Kent, who changed his Name to Watson, being Heir to the Estate of the late Earl of Rockingham, and on the 12th of Oct. 1732; married Grace, Daughter of

of the late Henry Pelham, Esq; Brother to the Duke of Newcastle, by whom he had a Son, born April 20, 1755: In Feb. 1754, he was made one of the Auditors of the Imprest, and the same Year rechosen for Boroughbridge, and elected also Kt of the Shire for the C. of Kent. 3. George, born April 16, 1730, Member in the present Parliament for Lincoln. And his Lordship, dying in July 1748, was succeeded by his eldest Son,

[2d Ld.] JOHN, now Lord Monson, who married in June, 1752, Theodosia, Daughter of John Maddison in the C. of Lincoln, Esq; by whom he has Issue John, his Son and Heir, born in 1753; a Daughter, Arabella, born in 1754; another Son, George-Henry, born in 1755; and a third Son, born March 12, 1758.

A R M S.

Topaz, two Chevrons Ruby.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Lion rampant, sustaining a Pillar, Gold.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Lion Topaz, having a Collar and Chain Sapphire; the Collar charged with three Crescents, Gold: On the sinister, a Griphon Pearl, its Collar and Chain as the dexter, and its Fore-Legs Sapphire.

Chief S E A T S.

At South-Carlton, and Northop, both in the County of Lincoln; and at Brexburn in the County of Hereford.

TALBOT, Lord TALBOT.

XLIII. **T**HE Right Honourable William Talbot, Lord Talbot, Baron of Hensol.

Created Baron Talbot of Henfol in the County of Glamorgan, Dec. 5, 1733, 7 George 2.

His Lordship is descended from Sir GILBERT TALBOT of Grafton, Kt of the Garter, second Son of John, the second Earl of Shrewsbury; whose Son, Sir JOHN, as is mentioned in the Account of that noble Family, married Elizabeth, his second Wife, Daughter of ——— Wrotesley of Wrotesley in the C. of Stafford, Esq; and had Issue JOHN, who had the Seat and Estate of Salwarp in Worcestershire; and by marrying Oliva, Daughter of Sir Henry Sherrington of Lacock in Wiltshire, of an ancient Family, which had a great Estate in that County, he also became possessed of that Seat and Estate, and died 14 Eliz. leaving Issue three Sons, Sherrington, John, and Thomas; of whom the youngest, viz. Thomas Talbot of Worsvil in the C. of Salop, married Magdalen, Daughter of Sir Marmaduke Wyvil, and had Issue Robert, who by Anne, Daughter of William Sheldon of Broadway in the C. of Worcester, had three Sons, Thomas, Gilbert, and George: The second Son, John Talbot of Badgeworth in Gloucestershire, married Mary, Daughter of Thomas Trimnell of Okely in Worcestershire, and was Father of John Talbot of Okely, who married Margaret, Daughter of Thomas Gower of Droitwich in the said County: And

SHERRINGTON, the eldest, who was of Salwarp and Lacock, and died about 1640, had two Wives; first Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir Thomas Leighton of Feckingham in Worcestershire, Kt, Governor of Guernsey, by whom he had six Sons, from whom no Issue Male is remaining: Sir Gilbert, one of the youngest, was Master of the Jewel-Office in the Reign of K. Cha. 2, but had no Issue: And Sherrington, the eldest, left only Sir John, who had three Daughters; 1. Anne, who married Sir John Ivory, and had Issue John-Ivory Talbot of Lacock in Wiltshire, Esq; who was chosen Member of Parliament for Ludgerhall in 1715, and Kt of the Shire for that County in 1727 and 1734; he married Mary, Sister to Busby the last Lord Mansell; and his Son John Talbot, Esq; was late Member of

Parliament

Parliament for Marlborough: 2. Barbara, married to Henry Viscount Longueville, by whom she had Talbot late Earl of Suffex: 3. Gilberta.

Sherrington first-mentioned had to his second Wife Mary, Daughter to John Washborn of Wichingsford in Worcestershire, Esq; by whom he had four Sons; 1. George Talbot of Rudge in the C. of Salop, Esq; whose only Daughter and Heir married Sir Clement Clarke of Lawney-Abbey in the C. of Leicester. 2. Edward, who was slain in the Civil Wars, in Behalf of Cha. 1. 3. WILLIAM, who married Mary, Daughter to Thomas Doughty, of Whittington in Worcestershire, Esq; by whom he had William, late Bishop of Durham; and Catherine, who married first Walter Littleton of Litchfield in the C. of Stafford, Esq; and secondly Dr. Lancelot Blackbourn, late Archbishop of York. 4. Francis, who died unmarried.

WILLIAM, late Bishop of Durham, was born at his Father's Seat at Stourton-Castle in Staffordshire, had his Education at Oriel-College, Oxford, took his Degree as Master of Arts, June 23, 1680, was nominated to the Deanery of Worcester, April 23, 1691, and on Sept. 24, 1699, was consecrated Bishop of Oxford, in which See he continued, holding his Deanery in Commendam, till 1715; when he was made Bishop of Salisbury: On Sept. 23, 1722, he was translated to the Bishoprick of Durham, of which County he was also made Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum. He married Catherine, Daughter of Mr. King, Alderman of London, by whom he had eight Sons, and several Daughters; of whom those who lived to Maturity were, 1. Charles, who was the late Lord Talbot. 2. Edward, (who died in 1720) Archdeacon of Berks. He married Mary, Daughter of the Rev. Mr. Martin, and left a Daughter, Catherine. 3. Sherrington, Lieutenant-Colonel of a Regiment of Foot, married to Miss Midget, by whom he has two Sons, William and Charles. 4. Henry, one of the Commissioners of the Salt-Office; married, first, Miss Lloyd, by whom he had a Daughter, Elizabeth; secondly, Catherine, Daughter of Sir Hugh Clopton, Kt. 5. Henrietta-

5. Henrietta-Maria, married to Dr. Charles Trimmel, late Bishop of Winchester. 6. Catherine, married to Exton Sayer, LL.D. late Chancellor of Durham, Member of Parliament for Helston, and Surveyor of his Majesty's Land Revenues; which Lady survived him, but died in Aug. 1734.

[1st Ld.] CHARLES, the eldest, was, in the first Parliament of the late King, chosen for Tregony, and in the two succeeding for the City of Durham. On the 23d of April, 1726, he was made Solicitor-General, and on the 29th of Nov. 1733, he was sworn a Privy-Counsellor, and Lord High Chancellor of Great-Britain; and on the 5th of Dec. following his Majesty created him a Baron, as above. In Aug. 1734, his Lordship was chosen a Governor of the Charter-house, and in Dec. 1734 Vice-President of the Hospital at Hyde-Park Corner.

He married Cecil, Daughter to Charles Matthews of Castle-Menich in the C. of Glamorgan, Esq; and Great Granddaughter and Heir of David Jenkins of Hensol in the said County, Esq; one of the Justices of South-Wales, very eminent for his Learning in his Profession, and for his steady Adherence to the Cause of K. Cha. 1. She died in 1720, having had five Sons, viz. Charles-Richard, who died in Sept. 1733, aged twenty-four Years. William, Kt of the Shire for Glamorganshire. John, Member for the Town of Brecon in the three late Parliaments, Recorder of the said Town, and second Justice of Chester: In 1754 he was elected Member of Parliament for Ilchester: He married, in May 1737, first Henrietta-Maria, second Daughter of Sir Matthew Decker of Richmond, Bart; who dying in Sept. 1747, he married secondly, in Aug. 1748, Miss Chetwynd, eldest Daughter of William Visc. Chetwynd in Ireland, by whom he had a Son and Heir, born June 19, 1752, and other Children: In 1755 he was made a Commissioner of Trade, and died Sept. 22, 1756. Edward, who died an Infant: And George, a Chirgyman, who is Clerk of the Custodes of the Lunatics

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in the High Court of Chancery for Life. His Lordship, dying in Feb. 1736-7, was succeeded by his eldest Son,

[2d Ld.] WILLIAM, now Lord Talbot, who, in Feb. 1733-4, married Mary, sole Daughter and Heir of Adam Cardonnel, Esq; Secretary to John Duke of Marlborough, and Member in several Parliaments for Southampton; by whom he has one Son, William, born Nov. 5, 1739, and a Daughter, Cecil, born in July 1735, married to ——— Rice, Esq;

A R M S.

Gules, a Lion rampant, within a Border engrailed, Or, a Crescent for Difference.

C R E S T.

On a Chapeau Gules, turned up Ermine, a Lion Or, his Tail extended.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Talbots Argent, collared Gules.

M O T T O.

Humani nihil alienum.

C h i e f S E A T S.

At Castle-Menich and Hensol in the County of Glamorgan; and at Barrington in the County of Gloucester.

BROMLEY, Lord MONTFORT.

XLIV. **T**HE Right Honourable Thomas Bromley, Lord Montfort, Baron of Horseheath in the County of Cambridge, and High-Steward of the Town of Cambridge. So created May 9, 1741, 14 George 2.

The Family of Bromley is descended from Sir **WALTER BROMLEY** of Bromley in the C. of Stafford, Kt, living in the Reign of K. John, who by Alice, Sister, and at length sole Heir, of Roger de Burwardeslegh, Lord of the Manor of Aftley in the C. of Stafford, had **GEOFFREY**, his Heir, who had two Sons, Richard and Sir Robert; which latter had the Manor of Aftley, and left John, his Heir; whose Son, John, had Alice, his Heir, married to John Frodesham of Frodesham in the C. of Chester: And **RICHARD**, eldest Brother of Sir Robert, continued the Line, and inherited the Estate at Bromley: He married the Daughter of Cnocton, and had **RANULPH**, his Heir, Father of **RICHARD**, who left three Sons; of which Walter, the eldest, left Lettice, his Heir, married to John Cholmondeley of Chorley; Roger, the third, was Ancestor of the Bromleys of Barksford; **WILLIAM**, the second, married Annabella, Sister and Heir of William de Chettilon, and by her had three Sons, 1. Sir John; 2. Richard; 3. Robert. Richard married Anne, Daughter and Coheir of William Praers of Badeleighe, and had John, his Heir, who married Margery, Daughter of Sir Thomas Mafsey of Tatton, Kt, and had Issue Thomas, who had no lawful Issue, but left a natural Son, Thomas, from whom the Bromleys of Darford in the C. of Chester, and others of that Name, are descended. Sir **JOHN**, elder Brother of Richard, rendered himself famous in the Wars of France, the 4th. of Henry 5, recovering the Standard of Guyen in the memorable Battle of Le Crobey, gained by the French; for which signal Service he had not only the Honour of Knighthood conferred on him, but Lands of great Value in the Dutchy of Normandy, and an Augmentation of his Arms, viz. the Standard of Guyen for his Crest. He married Agnes, Daughter of John Trentham, and had Issue **WALTER**, his Heir, who by Joan, Daughter of Richard de Delves, had Issue **ROGER**, his Heir, who marrying Jane, Daughter of Richard de Midley of the C. of Salop, had Issue, 1. Roger; 2. Nicholas, whose Posterity was of Hampton-Norbury in the C. of Chester.

ROGER,

ROGER, the eldest, married the Daughter and Heir of David Browe of Malpas in the same County, and had Issue three Sons, 1. William; 2. John, who left a Daughter, Anne, who died without Issue; 3. Roger, who married Jane, Daughter of Thomas Jennings, and had Issue William Bromley of Stoke; and Thomas Bromley, Lord Chief-Justice of England, the first of Q. Mary, who left Margaret, his Heir, married to Sir Richard Newport, Kt, Ancestor of the Earl of Bradford.

WILLIAM, the eldest Son of Roger, was seated at Mitley, and married Beatrix, Daughter of Humphry Hill of Blore and Buntingdale, and had Issue, 1. George, who was seated at Hodnet in the C. of Salop, and marrying Jane, Daughter of Sir Thomas Lacon of Willey in the C. of Salop, had Issue Sir George Bromley, Chief-Justice of Chester, and Sir Edward Bromley of Shifnal-Grange in the C. of Salop, Kt, one of the Barons of the Exchequer. SIR THOMAS, second Son of William, was Recorder of London, and Solicitor-General to Q. Elizabeth, in the 21st of whose Reign he was Lord High-Chancellor of England, in which Post he continued till the 29th of that Reign, when he died, and was buried in Westminster-Abbey. He married Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir Adrian Fortescue, Kt, by whom he had four Sons, Sir Henry, Thomas, George, and Edward; and four Daughters, Anne, married to Richard Corbet of Stoke in the C. of Salop, and had Issue Sir John Corbet, created a Bart 3 Charles 1; Meriel, married to John Lyttleton of Frankley in the C. of Worcester, Esq; and their Son, Thomas, was created a Bart, the 16th of James 1; Jane, to Sir Edward Grevile of Milcot in the C. of Warwick, Esq; of the Family of the Earl of Brook; and Elizabeth, to Sir Oliver Cromwell, Knight.

SIR HENRY, eldest Son and Heir, was seated at Holt-Castle in the C. of Worcester, and married first Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir William Pelham, Kt, by whom he had Issue Sir Thomas, his Heir, and three Daughters, Elizabeth, Eleanor, and Mary; which last was married to John

Prynne: Secondly, Elizabeth, Daughter of Hugh Verny of the C. of Somerset, by whom he had a Son, John: His third Wife was Anne, Daughter of William Beseick of London, by whom he had Issue Henry, Philip, and Robert.

Sir THOMAS, eldest Son by the first Wife, married Anne, Daughter of Richard Walshe of the C. of Worcester, Esq; and had Issue, 1. Henry; 2. JOHN, who married Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir Henry Longueville of Wolverton in Bucks, a Bart of Nova-Scotia, and left Issue WILLIAM, his only Son and Heir, who was several Times Representative for the County of Worcester, and left an only Daughter, his Heir, married to WILLIAM BROMLEY of Horseheath-Hall in the C. of Cambridge, Esq; who was also Representative for the County and City of Worcester, and, dying Aug. 5, 1707, left Issue JOHN, his Heir, who was Kt of the Shire for the C. of Cambridge, and died October 7, 1707, leaving two Sons; JOHN, his Heir, who succeeded his Father, as Kt of the Shire for the C. of Cambridge, and dying unmarried in Nov. 1718, was succeeded by

[1st Ld.] HENRY, his Brother, who was Kt of the Shire for the C. of Cambridge in the first and second Parliaments of his present Majesty, and was created Lord Montfort, as before-mentioned. He married the Sister and sole Heir of Sir Francis Wyndham, Bart, of Trent in the C. of Somerset, and hath Issue a Son, Henry, and a Daughter, Frances, married to Charles-Sloan Cadogan, Esq; only Son and Heir of Charles Lord Cadogan, and Member of Parliament for the Town of Cambridge; and his Lordship dying Jan. 1, 1755, was succeeded by his Son

[2d Ld.] THOMAS, now Lord Montfort, who at the last general Election was chosen Member of Parliament for the Town of Cambridge, and succeeded his Father as High-Steward of that Town.

A R M S.

Quarterly, per Pale Dovetail, Gules and Or.

C R E S T.

Upon a Wreath of the Colours a Demi-Lion rampant Sable, issuing out of a Mural Crown, Or, holding a Standard Vert, charged with a Griffin passant, Or, the Staff proper-headed, Argent.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, an Unicorn Cream-coloured, gorged with a Ducal Coronet, thereto a Chain reflexed over his Back, horned and unguled Or; and on the sinister Side an Horse Argent, pelted, collared Dovetail Azure, thereon three Lozenges, Or.

M O T T O.

Non inferiora secutus.

Chief S E A T.

At Horseheath-Hall near Cambridge.

HOW, Lord CHEDWORTH.

XLV. **T**HE Right Honourable John-Thynne How, Lord Chedworth, Baron of Chedworth in the County of Gloucester, Lord-Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the said County. So created May 12, 1741, 15 Geo. 2.

This Family has been long seated in Somersetshire, Wiltshire, and Gloucestershire. JOHN How, who died on the 27th of May, in the 16th of Elizabeth, left Issue JOHN, his Heir, to whom he bequeathed his Manor of Huntspil in the C. of Somerset, his Lands at South-Wokingdon in Essex, his Messuages in Foster-Lane, London; also all his Lands
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and Tenements at Kyttlesford in the C. of Somerset, and at Washfelde in the C. of Devon. JOHN, his Son and Heir, married Jane, Daughter of Nicholas Grubham of Bishops-Lidiard in the C. of Somerset, and Heir to her Brother Sir Richard Grubham of Wishford in the C. of Wilts, Kt, by whom he had three Sons, John, George, and Lawrence, and a Daughter, Elizabeth, married to John Bainton, Esq;

George, the second Son of John How, Esq; who was seated at Cold-Berwick in Wilts, was, on the Restoration of K. Cha. 2, created a Bart; but his Son, Sir James, dying without Issue, that Branch became extinct.

JOHN, the elder Brother of George, had the Manor of Compton in Gloucestershire, and Wishford and other Estates in Wiltshire, by the Gift of his Uncle, Sir Richard Grubham: He was created a Bart in 1660, and by Bridget, Daughter of Thomas Rich of North-Cerney in the C. of Gloucester, had Issue three Sons, Sir Richard-Grubham How; John, Ancestor to the present Lord Chedworth; and Sir Thomas How; which last married Hester, Daughter of Sir William Manwaring, and died without Issue.

Sir RICHARD succeeded his Father in the Estate at Wishford, &c. He married Anne, Daughter of John King, Bishop of London, and Relict of John Dutton of Sherbourn-Park in Gloucestershire, by whom he had Issue

Sir RICHARD, who represented the C. of Wilts in several Parliaments. He married Mary, Daughter of Sir Henry-Frederick Thynne of Kempsford in the C. of Gloucester, Bart; and, dying without Issue in July 1730, we return to his Uncle, John How, second Son of Sir John How, and Brother to Sir Richard-Grubham How, the Father of the said Sir Richard, who died in 1730: Which

JOHN married Annabella, third Daughter of Emanuel Lord Scrope and Earl of Sunderland, and by that Marriage became possessed of Langer in the C. of Nottingham: By her he had Issue Scrope, created Visc. How in Ireland, who also succeeded to the Title of Baronet.

JOHN, the second Son, and Brother to Scrope, represented the Borough of Cirencester and the C. of Gloucester in several

veral Parliaments, and was Vice-Chamberlain to Q. Mary. On the Accession of Q. Anne, he was sworn of the Privy-Council, made Vice-Admiral of the C. of Gloucester, and Paymaster of the Guards and Garrisons, till the Accession of K. Geo. 1, when Sir Robert Walpole was appointed to succeed him, and he was left out of the Privy-Council; whereupon he retired to his Seat at Stowell in Gloucestershire, and died there in 1721. He married Mary, Daughter of Humphry Baskerville of Pentryolles in Herefordshire, Esq; Relict of Sir Edward Morgan of Lanternam in Monmouthshire, Bart, by whom he left Issue

[1st Ld.] JOHN, his Heir, who, on the Death of Sir Richard How, before-mentioned, without Issue, succeeded to his Estate, and was elected Knight of the Shire for Wiltshire in his room, as he was again in 1734; and in 1741 was created Lord Chedworth. His Lordship married Dorothy, eldest Daughter of Henry-Frederick Thynne, Esq; Ancestor of Thomas Visc. Weymouth, by whom he had Issue six Sons and two Daughters, John-Thynne, Henry-Frederick, Thomas, Charles, James, married July 5, 1755, to Miss Howarth, Daughter to Sir Humphry Howarth, Kt of the Shire for the County of Radnor, and William, Mary and Anne; and, dying in April 1742, was succeeded in Honour and Estate by his eldest Son,

[2d Ld.] JOHN-THYNNE, now Lord Chedworth, who married Sept. 23, 1751, Martha, Daughter and Co-heir of Sir Philip-Parker Long of Arwarton in Suffolk, Bart, and Nov. 14, 1758, was appointed Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the C. of Gloucester, and Constable of St. Briavel's Castle in the Forest of Deane.

A R M S.

Topaz, a Fess between three Wolves Heads couped Diamond, a Crescent for Difference.

C R E S T.

C R E S T.

Upon a Wreath of the Colours a dexter Arm in Armour, crasped below the Elbow, lying Fels-ways, and holding in the Hand a Scymetar erected all proper, hilted and pommelled, Topaz, pierced through a Boar's Head coupéd Diamond.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Lion Pearl pelltied, armed and langued Ruby; and on the sinister Side, an Angel proper, the Face profile with brownish Hair, habited Crimson; the under Garment Sapphire, the Wings Pearl, pinioned of the fourth.

M O T T O.

Justus et propositi tenax.

Chief S E A T S.

At Chedworth and Stowell in the County of Gloucester, and at Wishford in the County of Wilts.

EDGE CUMBE, Lord EDGE CUMBE.

XLVI. **T**HE Right Honourable Richard Edgcumbe, Baron Edgcumbe of Mount-Edgcumbe in the County of Devon, Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum for the County of Cornwall.

Created Baron Edgcumbe of Mount-Edgcumbe, April the 20th, 1742, 16 George 2.

This Family took its Name from Edgcumbe in the Parish of Cheriton-Fitz-Pain, near Crediton, and has been of great Antiquity in Devonshire. In the Reign of Edward 3, WILLIAM DE EDGE CUMBE married Hillaria, Daughter and Heir of William de Cottehele of Cottehele in the C. of Cornwall, and afterwards chiefly resided there. It is now wrote Cuttail, and is separated from Devonshire by the

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the River Tamer. Sir RICHARD EDGECUMBE, Kt, was a Person of great Note in the Reigns of Edw. 4, Rich. 3, and Hen. 7, and was Member of Parliament for Tavistoke. When K. Richard put his Nephews to Death, he, detesting his Tyranny, appeared in Arms with the Duke of Buckingham; but, that Enterprize proving unsuccessful, he had the good Fortune to escape into Britanny to the Earl of Richmond, and afterwards behaving with great Valour at Bosworth-Field, was knighted on the Field of Battle. K. Henry 7 immediately made him Comptroller of his Household and of his Privy-Council, and granted him several Manors.

In 1489 he was sent to the French King to offer King Henry's Mediation to compose the Difference between the Duke of Britanny and that Monarch, in which Service he died at Morlaix in that Province, Sept 8, 1489.

He married Joan, Daughter of Thomas Tremayne of Callocomb, Esq; by whom he left Issue Peirs EdgECumbe, his Heir, and Joan, married to Fulk Prideaux, Esq; which PEIRS was made one of the twenty Kts of the Bath at the Creation of Prince Arthur, and at the Battle of the Spurs was made a Kt Banneret.

He married first Jane, Daughter and Heir of Stephen Dernford, Esq; and secondly, Catherine, Sister to Sir John St. John, Kt, Relict of Sir Griffith Rice, Kt, and by her he left no Issue. By his first Wife he had Issue three Sons, Richard, John, and James; and three Daughters, Elizabeth, Wife of John Arundel of Lanhern in Cornwall, Esq; Jane, Wife of Thomas Pomeroy, Esq; and Agnes; and, dying the 14th of Aug. 1539, RICHARD succeeded him, and was knighted at the Creation of Edward Seymour, Earl of Hertford, Oct. 18, 1536: He was Sheriff of Devonshire in 1543 and in 1553; and built the beautiful Seat called from him Mount-EdgECumbe, the Appearance of which from the Sea so delighted the Duke de Medina Sidonia, Admiral of the Spanish Armada in 1588, that he reserved it for his own Possession in the Partage of this Kingdom, which he had in Imagination already conquered. This House is within

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and had a long name that who, and
Waltham Abbey
Edw.

Peter
the Compass of the County of Devon, although it be in the Parish of Maker, which lieth in the C. of Cornwall. He died the 1st of Feb. 1562, and was succeeded in his Estate by PETER EDGECUMBE, Esq; Sheriff of Devonshire, the 9th of Elizabeth, and several Times Representative in Parliament for Cornwall and Devon, and also for Lestwithiel and Leskard. He dying the 4th of Jan. 1607, aged seventy, was succeeded by his eldest Son,

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Sir RICHARD, who served in Parl. for Totness, Gram-pound, and Boffiney: He died the 22d of Mar. 1638, in the seventy-fourth Year of his Age, and left Issue Peirs and Richard; which PEIRS left a Son, RICHARD, who was, in his Father's Life-time, made one of the Kts of the Bath, to assist at the Coronation of K. Cha. 2: He represented the Borough of Launceston in the 1st of Cha. 2, and served in three other Parliaments as Kt of the Saire for Cornwall. He married the Lady Anne Montagu, second surviving Daughter of Edward Earl of Sandwich, by whom he had Issue two Sons, John, who died an Infant, and Richard, born at Mount-Edgecumbe in April 1680; also five Daughters. Sir Richard was buried at Maker, April 3, 1688, and his Lady married, secondly, Christopher Montagu, elder Brother to Charles Lord Halifax, and, dying March 14, 1729-30, was buried by her first Husband.

[1st Ld.] RICHARD, late Lord Edgecumbe, as soon as he came of Age, was chosen to represent the C. of Cornwall, and was afterwards constantly, whilst he was a Commoner, chosen either for St. German's, Plympton, or Lestwithiel. June 22, 1716, he was made a Lord of the Treasury; also June 11, 1720, and on the 3d of April, 1734, Joint-Treasurer, &c. of Ireland, with the Lord Falmouth, and sworn of his Majesty's Privy-Council, Jan. 5, 1742-3. On the 22d of Dec. 1745, he was made Chancellor of the Dutchy of Lancaster, and created Lord Edgecumbe. On the 8th of March, 1755, he was promoted to the Rank of a Major-General. He married Matilda, Daughter of Sir Henry Furnese, Bart, by whom he had Issue two Sons; Richard, elected Member of the late Parliament

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Parliament for Lestwithiel, and in the present for Pentyn. On the 22d of Dec. 1755, he was made a Lord of the Admiralty, and on the 19th of Nov. 1756, was appointed Comptroller of his Majesty's Household, and sworn of his Majesty's Privy-Council. His Lordship, dying Nov. 29, 1758, was succeeded by his Son

[2d Ld.] RICHARD, now Lord Edgecumbe, who, Feb. 24, 1759, was made Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the County of Cornwall. The other Son is George, Captain of a Man of War, Member of Parliament for Fowey, and Clerk of the Council for the Duchy of Lancaster.

A R M S.

Ruby, on a Bend Ermine, cottised Topaz, three Boars Heads coupé Pearl.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath Topaz and Ruby, a Boar passant, Pearl, a Chaplet about the Neck, of Oak-Leaves, fructed proper.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Greyhounds Pearl, Guty de Poix collared Dove-tail, Ruby.

Chief S E A T.

At Mount-Edgecumbe near Plymouth.

S A N D Y S, Lord S A N D Y S.

XLVII. **T**HE Right Honourable Samuel Sandys, Lord Sandys, and Baron of Ombersley, one of his Majesty's Most Honourable Privy-Council, Lord Warden and Chief-Justice in Eyre of all his Majesty's Forests, Parks, Chaces, and Warrens, beyond the Trent.

Created

Created Lord Sandys, Baron of Ombersley in the County of Worcester, Dec. 20, 1743, 16 George 2.

Descended from Dr. EDWIN SANDYS, Archbishop of York, in the Reign of Q. Elizabeth, who was descended from the Sandys's of St. Bees in Cumberland, Kts of the Shire for the County of Cumberland in the Reign of Richard 2. The Archbishop had six Sons; of which, Sir SAMUEL, the eldest, inherited his Father's Manor of Ombersley, and other Estates, and was Sheriff of the C. of Worcester, 16 James 1, and Kt of the Shire for the same C. 18 James 1. He married Mercy, Daughter of Martin Culpepper, Esq; by whom he had four Sons and seven Daughters, of whom Anne, the third, married Sir Francis Wenman, Kt, Ancestor of the Lord Wenman; and, dying on the 18th of August, 1623, left Sir EDWIN SANDYS, Kt, his Heir, who died on the 6th of Sept. following. He married Penelope, Daughter of Sir Richard Bulkeley of the Isle of Anglesey, by Mary, Daughter of William Lord Borough by the Lady Catherine Clinton, Daughter to Edward the first Earl of Lincoln, by whom he had four Sons and three Daughters; 1. Samuel, born in 1615; 2. Richard, born in 1616, killed at Edgehill Fight, Oct. 13, 1642; 3. Edwin, born in 1617; 4. Martin, born in 1624, after the Death of his Father. SAMUEL, upon the Breaking-out of the Civil War, sided with the King, and raised a Regiment of Horse and Foot at his own Expence; but, the King's Troops being defeated, his Estate was sequestered, for which he was obliged to compound. He often represented the C. of Worcester in Parliament, and married Mary, only Daughter of Dr. Hugh Barker, Dean of the Arches, by whom he had two Sons and a Daughter; 1. Samuel, who succeeded to the Estate; 2. Edwin, Fellow of New-College, Oxford, who died Jan. 8, 1684. Mary died in 1681, unmarried. Their Mother dying in 1651, he married Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir John Packington, Bart, Relict of Colonel Henry Washington, by whom he had no Issue. He died in 1685, and she in 1698.

SAMUEL,

SAMUEL, his eldest Son, served often in Parliament for Droitwich. He married Elizabeth, only Daughter of Sir John Pettus of Cheston-Hall in Suffolk, Kt, by whom he had three Sons and four Daughters; 1. Edwin; 2. Henry, who died young; 3. Martin, Fellow of New-College, who married Elizabeth, Daughter of John Burton of Worcester, Gent. by whom he had five Children; he died in Jan. 1753. Elizabeth died young; Penelope was married to Henry Townshend of Elmly-Lovett in the C. of Worcester, Esq; and died without Issue; Mary married Price Deve-reux, Visc. Hereford, by whom she had one Son, Price, late Visc. Hereford, and one Daughter, Mary, married to William Price of Vaend in the C. of Flint, Esq; Frances married Samuel Pytts of Kyre in the C. of Worcester, Esq; by whom she had one Son, who died an Infant. Their Father died in 1701, and their Mother in 1714. EDWIN, their eldest Son, died before them in 1699. He represented the C. of Worcester in the Parliament called in 1695, and married Alice, Daughter of Sir John Rush-out, Bart, by whom he had two Sons and one Daughter; 1. Samuel; 2. Edwin, who was bred to the Sea, and died young; and, 3. Alice, who died unmarried. Their Mother died in 1701.

[1st Ld.] SAMUEL, the eldest, now Lord Sandys, having spent some Time at New-College in Oxford, and in foreign Parts, was, upon his Return, chosen to represent the City of Worcester, March 4, 1717-18, which City he continued to represent till he was called to the House of Peers. Upon the Change of the Ministry, he was made Chancellor, Under-Treasurer, and one of the Commissioners of the Treasury, Feb. 11, 1741-2, and sworn one of his Majesty's Privy-Council. On resigning those Places, Dec. 20, 1743, he was created Lord Sandys, and made Cofferer of his Majesty's Household; from which Place he was removed, Dec. 22, 1744. On Jan. 13, 1756, he was made Lord-Warden and Justice in Eyre South of the Trent, which he resigned in Dec. following, when he was chosen Speaker of the House of Lords; and

in Feb. 1759, was appointed Lord-Warden and Chief-Justice in Eyre of all his Majesty's Forests, Parks, Chaces, and Warrens, beyond the Trent. He married Letitia, eldest Daughter and Coheir of Sir Thomas Tipping of Wheatfield in the C. of Oxford, Bart, by Anne his Wife, Daughter, and at length Heir, of Thomas Cheek of Pyrgo in the C. of Essex, Esq; (lineally descended from Sir John Cheek, Preceptor to K. Edward 6) by Letitia his Wife, Daughter of Edward Russel, Brother of William the first Duke of Bedford of that Name, and Sister and Heir to Edward Earl of Orford. By her he has had seven Sons and three Daughters; Edwin, Member in the present Parliament for Droitwich, was made a Lord of the Admiralty April 6, 1757; Cheek, who died in 1737; Thomas, who died in 1728; Martin, made Captain in the second Regiment of Foot-Guards, with the Rank of Lieutenant-General, Nov. 11, 1755; Letitia; William, who died in 1749; Anne; John; Catherine, who died in 1736; and Henry, who died in 1737.

A R M S.

Or, a Fess Dancette between three Cross Crosets fitchy Gules.

C R E S T.

A Griffin Segreant per Fess Or, and Gules.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Griffins per Fess Or, and Gules, collared Dancette of the last.

Chief S E A T.

At Ombersley, near Worcester,

BRUDENEL,

BRUDENEL, Lord BRUCE.

XLVIII. **T**HE Right Honourable Thomas-Bruce Brudenel, Baron Bruce of Tottenham in the County of Wilts.

So created the 17th of April, 1746, 19 George 2.

The Descent of this Noble Lord the Reader may find at large in the first Volume, he being the-youngest Brother of George Earl of Cardigan. It remains only to add, that his present Majesty, by Letters Patent dated the 17th of April, 1746, was pleased to create

[1st Ld.] **CHARLES**, Earl of Aylesbury, a Baron of the Kingdom of Great-Britain, by the Title of Lord Bruce of Tottenham in Wiltshire, to him and his Heirs Male, with Limitation of that Honour to his Nephew, Thomas-Bruce Brudenel, Esq; youngest Son to George, late Earl of Cardigan, and the Lady Elizabeth Bruce, his Wife, Sister to the said Charles Earl of Aylesbury; and his Lordship dying Feb. 10, 1746-7, the Title of Earl of Aylesbury became extinct, but that of Lord Bruce devolved on the said

[2d Ld.] **THOMAS-BRUCE BRUDENEL**, now Lord Bruce.

ARMS.

Topaz, a Saltire and Chief Ruby, on a Canton Pearl, a Lion rampant Sapphire. The Arms of the late Earl of Aylesbury.

CREST.

On a Wreath, a Lion passant, Sapphire.

SUPPORTERS.

Two Savages regardant, wreathed about the Temples, and Loins with Ivy, all proper.

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M O T T O.

Fuimus.

Chief S E A T.

At Tottenham-Park near Marlborough in Wiltshire.

FORTESCUE, Lord FORTESCUE.

XLIX. **T**HE Right Honourable Matthew Fortescue, Baron Fortescue of Castle-Hill in the County of Devon.

So created the 5th of July, 1746, 19 George 2.

This Noble Lord is descended from a very ancient Family in the C. of Devon. JOHN FORTESCUE signalized himself under that victorious Monarch Henry 5, and was made Governor of Meux in Berry, and had the Honour of Knighthood conferred on him. He married the Heiress of William Norris, by whom he had Sir HENRY FORTESCUE, Lord Chief-Justice of Ireland, who had three Sons: 1. Henry, of Wood in Devon; 2. Sir Richard, Father of Sir John of Punsbourn in Hertfordshire, who married Alice, Daughter of Sir Geoffrey Bullen, Great-Grandfather of Anna Bullen; from which Match proceeded Sir John Fortescue of Punsbourn, who came over with Henry Earl of Richmond, and was knighted by him, and, on the Defeat of John Earl of Lincoln and Lambert Simnel at Newark, was made Kt Banneret; and his Brother, Sir Adrian, was made one of the Kts of the Sword at the Creation of Henry Prince of Wales. Sir Adrian was a valiant Soldier in the Reign of K. Hen. 8. He married first Anne, Daughter of Sir William Stoner, by whom he had Margaret, married to Thomas Lord Wentworth, and Frances, to Thomas Lord Ophaley, eldest Son of the Earl of Kildare. Sir Adrian's second Wife was Anne, Daughter of Sir William Rede of Rockingham-Castle, Northamptonshire, by whom he had three Sons, John, Thomas,

mas, and Anthony; and two Daughters, Mary, married to William Norris of Fyfield, Berks, Esq; and Elizabeth, to Sir Thomas Bromley of the C. of Salop, Lord Chancellor of England, Ancestor to the Lord Montfort. John, the eldest Son, was Master of the Wardrobe, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and of the Privy-Council to Queen Elizabeth and King James, and died Dec. 23, 1607; and Sir John Fortescue of Solden, Bucks, Kt and Bart, his Heir, died Sept. 29, 1656. But this Line is now extinct.

JOHN, third Son of Sir Henry, was a learned Lawyer, and, in the 20th of Henry 6, was made Lord Chief-Justice of England. His Son and Heir, MARTIN FORTESCUE, was seated at Filley in Devonshire, and had two Sons, John, who died without Issue, and WILLIAM, who was of Buckland. He married Maud, Daughter and Heir of John Atkins of Milton, Devon, and had three Sons, John, Edward, and James, and a Daughter, Jaquet, married to William Dennis of Southcomb, Devon, Esq;

JOHN, the eldest Son, married Christian, Daughter of John Arscot of Hollesworth, Devon, and had Issue two Sons, William and John, and a Daughter, Alice, married to John Farry, Esq;

WILLIAM, the eldest Son, married Anne, Daughter of Sir Roger Gifford of Brightley, Devon, and had five Sons and eight Daughters. Of his Sons, Sir Faithful, having signalized himself in Ireland, came to England for Supplies, and had a Troop of Horse raised for that Service, which being ordered in the Rebellion against King Charles, he was made Major to Sir William Waller's Regiment; but, detesting the Force put on him in serving against the King, he at the Battle of Edgehill, with his whole Troop, advanced from the Parliament Horse, and presented himself and his Troop to Prince Rupert, and immediately charged the Enemy, which struck such a Consternation in them, not knowing how many might follow the same Steps, as greatly contributed to the King's Victory. Sir Nicholas, another Son, was a Kt of Malta, and was also knighted by K. James 1, and lost his Life in the Service of his Son,

Charles 1, in Lancashire. JOHN FORTESCUE, of Buckland and Filley, their elder Brother, married Anne, Daughter of Walter Parker of Thetford in Norfolk, Esq; from whom descended HUGH FORTESCUE of Filley, Esq; Member in several Parliaments for Tregony in the Reign of K. William, who married Bridget, sole Daughter and Heir of Hugh Bescawen of Tregothan, Cornwall, Esq; by Margaret, his Wife, fourth Daughter, and at length Coheir, of Theophilus Earl of Lincoln and Baron Clinton, by whom he had two Sons, Hugh and Theophilus; and by a second Wife, Lucy, second Daughter to Matthew Lord Aylmer, he had Matthew, now Lord Fortescue; and the Sisters of Margaret the first Wife leaving no surviving Issue, the Barony of Clinton devolved on

[1st Ld.] HUGH, Son and Heir of the fore-mentioned Hugh and Bridget, who, having demanded a Writ of Summons to Parliament, was, on the 16th of Mar. 1721, called up to the House of Lords, (and took his Seat according to the ancient Barons Clinton, who by several Summons had enjoyed it, and originally on the 6th of Feb. 1298, the 26th of Edward 1) and on the 27th of May, 1725, his Lordship was elected a Kt of the Bath, and, on his present Majesty's Accession to the Throne, made a Lord of his Majesty's Bedchamber, and Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum for the C. of Devon, both which he resigned April 13, 1733. On the 5th of July, 1746, his Majesty was pleased to advance him to the Dignity of Earl Clinton and Baron Fortescue of Castle-Hill, Devon, and, in Default of Issue Male, the said Title of Baron Fortescue to descend to Matthew Fortescue, his Lordship's youngest Brother, and the Heirs Male of his Body. Theophilus, his Lordship's Brother, was Kt of the Shire for the C. of Devon, and died unmarried in Mar. 1746. And his Lordship dying unmarried May 2, 1751, the Title of Earl Clinton became extinct, and the Barony of Clinton returned to the Earl of Lincoln, but the Barony of Fortescue descended to his Half-Brother,

[2d Ld.]

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[2d Ld.] MATTHEW, now Lord Fortescue, who, on the 8th of June, 1752, married Anne, second Daughter of John Campbell, Esq; one of the Lords of the Treasury, by whom he had a Son, Hugh, born March 12, 1753; Matthew, born April 12, 1754; and John, born March 6, 1755.

A R M S.

Sapphire, a Bend ingrailed Pearl, cottised Topaz.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a plain Shield, Pearl.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Greyhounds of the last, each having a Ducal Collar Topaz, and a Line Ruby.

M O T T O.

Forte Scutum Salus Ducum.

Chief S E A T S.

At Filley and Castle-Hill in the County of Devon, and at Cirencester in the County of Gloucester.

ANSON, Lord ANSON.

L. **T**HE Right Honourable George Anson, Lord Anson of Soberton, First Lord of the Admiralty, one of the Admirals of the White Squadron, Vice-Admiral of Great Britain, one of his Majesty's Most Honourable Privy-Council, one of the Elder Brethren of the Trinity-House, one of the Governors of the Charter-House, and F. R. S.

Created Baron Anson of Soberton in the County of Southampton, by Letters Patent, dated June 3, 1747, 20 George 2,

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This Noble Lord is descended from WILLIAM ANSON, Esq; who, in the Reign of K. James I, purchased the Manor of Shugborough in the C. of Stafford, which he made his principal Residence. He was of the Society of Lincoln's-Inn in the Reign of Q. Elizabeth, and in the Beginning of the Reign of K. James I was an eminent Counsellor at Law.

He married Joan, Daughter of Richard Mitchel of Oldbury in the C. of Warwick, Esq; by whom he had WILLIAM, his Heir, who married Elizabeth, Daughter of Thomas Stafford of Botham-Hall in the C. of Derby, Esq; by whom he had three Daughters, Hannah, Elizabeth, and Mary, and WILLIAM, his Heir, born in 1656. He married Isabel, Daughter and Coheir of Charles Carrier of Wirkworth in the C. of Derby, Esq; and Sister to the Countess of Macclesfield, Mother of the present Earl, and, dying Aug. 1720, left Issue two Sons and four Daughters; Thomas Anson of Shugborough, Esq; Member in the present Parliament for Litchfield; and

[Ist Ld.] GEORGE, who was created Lord Anson. The Daughters are Jennette, Relict of Mr. Adams, Isabella, Anna, and Johanna. This Noble Lord, having from his Youth devoted himself to the Sea-Service, was made Captain of the Weazle Sloop, June 19, 1722, and on the 1st of Feb. 1723, Captain of the Scarborough Man of War. In the Year 1740, he was preferred to the Command of a Fleet destined for the South-Sea, in which Expedition, after a Variety of Difficulties and Distresses, he concluded his Enterprize with the Capture of a Spanish Ship of great Force, and containing a vast Treasure; to a large Share of which he was justly entitled by his own Desert, as well as by Law and the King's Proclamation. He was, upon his Return home, made one of the Lords of the Admiralty in 1744, and in Dec. that Year was chosen Member of Parliament for Heydon in Yorkshire. On the 23d of April, 1745, he was made Rear-Admiral of the White Squadron; on July 14, 1746, Vice-Admiral of the Red; and on May 12, 1748, Admiral of the Blue. On the Death of

Sir

Sir John Norris, he was made Vice-Admiral of England, and on the Death of Earl Gower, was chosen one of the Governors of the Charter-House. On the 22d of June, 1751, he was appointed First Lord of the Admiralty, which he resigned in 1756, but resumed again in 1757. On the 25th of April, 1748, his Lordship married Elizabeth, eldest Daughter of Philip Lord Hardwicke, then Lord High-Chancellor of Great-Britain, by whom he hath no Issue.

A R M S.

Quarterly, 1st and 4th Argent, three Bends ingrailed Gules; 2d and 3d Sable, a Bend between three Half-Spears, Argent.

C R E S T.

Out of a Ducal Coronet, Or, a Half-Spear, Argent.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Sea-Horse, Argent; on the sinister, a Sea-Lion, of a dun Mouse-Colour, each gorged with four Gemels, Or.

M O T T O.

Nil Desperandum.

Chief S E A T S.

At Soberton in the County of Southampton, and at More-Park in the County of Hertford.

DUNCOMBE, Lord FEVERSHAM.

LI. **T**HE Right Honourable Anthony Duncombe, Lord Feversham in the County of Kent, and Baron of Downton in the County of Wilts.

So

256 *Duncombe, Lord Feversham.*

So created by Letters Patent, dated June 23, 1747, 20 George 2.

This Noble Lord is descended from the Duncombes of Barleyend, in the Parish of Ivingo, in the C. of Buckingham. Charles Duncombe, born in Nov. 1648, was brought up a Banker, and was Sheriff of London in 1700, which Year he was knighted, and was Lord-Mayor of London in 1709. He was several Times Member of Parliament for Downton and Heydon, and, dying unmarried April 19, 1711, possessed of a very great Fortune, acquired by himself, he left it to his two Nephews, Anthony Duncombe, Esq; now Lord Feversham, and Thomas Brown, Esq; Son and Heir of Thomas Brown, Esq; by Ursula, Sister of the said Sir Charles, who took the Name of Duncombe, was chosen for Downton on the Death of his Uncle, and died at Duncombe-Park in Yorkshire, March 23, 1745-6. ANTHONY DUNCOMBE, Esq; youngest Brother of Sir Charles, Father of the present Lord, and many Years Member of Parliament for Heydon, died on the 4th of April, 1708. He married Jane, eldest Daughter and Coheir of Frederick Cornwallis, Esq; second Son of Frederick Lord Cornwallis, by whom he had three Sons and seven Daughters; of whom, Anne, the eldest, married John Sawyer of Haywood in Berks, Esq; and Jane, the youngest, married Sir John Cope, Kt of the Bath, and is deceased. Of the Sons, only

[1st Ld.] ANTHONY, now Lord Feversham, survived, who, as soon as he came of Age, was elected to Parliament for Salisbury, and twice more represented the same City; after which he was chosen for Downton, till his Majesty was pleased to create him Lord Feversham. His Lordship married first Margaret Verney, Daughter of George Lord Willoughby of Broke, Dean of Windsor, and by her, who died on the 9th of Oct. 1755, he had a Daughter and two Sons, Charles and Anthony, who all died young, and George, who died in the nineteenth Year of his Age, on the 9th of Aug. 1741. His Lordship married secondly, Nov. 2, 1756, Frances, seventh Daughter of Peter Bathurst

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thrust of Clarendon-Park in Wilts, Esq; by the Lady Selina Shirley, Daughter of the Earl Ferrers, by whom he had a Daughter born Nov. 12, 1757, and her Ladyship died the 21st of the same Month. His Lordship married thirdly, August 8, 1758, Anne, Daughter of Sir Thomas Hales of Howlett in Kent, Bart, by whom he had a Daughter born June 9, 1759.

A R M S.

Per Chevron engrailed, Ruby and Pearl, three Talbots Heads crazed, counterchanged.

C R E S T.

A Horse's Thigh bent at the Joint Diamond, the Shoe Pearl, issuing out of a Ducal Coronet, Topaz.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On each Side a dark Iron Grey Horse, Guttée d'Or, Ducally collared Topaz.

M O T T O.

Deo, Regi, Patriæ.

Chief S E A T.

At Barford near Downton in Wiltshire.

LIDDEL, Lord RAVENSWORTH.

LII. **T**HE Right Honourable Henry Liddel, Lord Ravensworth of Ravensworth-Castle in the County of Durham, and Baronet.

Created Baronet, Nov. 2, 1642, 18 Charles 1; and Baron Ravensworth, by Letters Patent, dated June 29, 1747, 20 George 2.

This Family were anciently Lords of Liddel-Castle and the Barony of Buff. THOMAS DE LIDDEL married Margaret,

garet, Daughter of John de Laburne, and had two Sons, Thomas, and George, whose only Son died without Issue: THOMAS, the eldest, married Barbara, Daughter and Co-heir of Richard de Strangeways, and by her had four Sons; 1. Francis, whose Son and Heir died without Issue; 2. Thomas; 3. and 4. Robert and Percival, who died without Issue; and two Daughters, Alice, married to Oswald Carr, and Barbara, who died young.

THOMAS purchased Ravensworth in 1607. He married first Margaret, Daughter to John Waton, Esq; by whom he had Thomas, his Heir, and three Daughters; Elizabeth, married to William Sherwood of the C. of Middlesex; Alice, to Gawen Salkeld; and Eleanor to Timothy Draper. He married secondly Jane, Daughter of Henry Midford, Esq; by whom he had, 1. Henry, married to Elizabeth, Daughter of William Jennison, Esq; and had a Son, Thomas; 2. Roger, married to Grace, Daughter of James Clavering, Esq; 3. Barbara, married to Samuel Sanderfon, Gent. 4. Jane, to Robert Anderson, Esq;

[1st Bart.] THOMAS, the eldest Son, had great Interest in the C. of Northumberland, which he exerted in Behalf of K. Cha. 1, who conferred on him the Dignity of a Bart. He was afterwards taken Prisoner, but admitted to compound for his Estate at 4000*l.* He died in 1650, having married Isabel, Daughter of Henry Anderson, Esq; by whom he had six Sons and three Daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir George Baker, Kt, Barrister at Law; Mary, to Sir Nicholas Cole of Branspeth-Castle in the C. of Durham, Bart; and Isabel, who died unmarried. The Sons were, 1. Sir Thomas Liddel, Kt; 2. Francis, who married Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir George Tonge of Denton in the C. of Durham, Kt, and had Issue Francis; 3. William; 4. Robert; 5. George; 6. Henry, who all died unmarried.

Sir THOMAS died in 1627, before his Father, and left Issue, by Bridget, Maid of Honour to the Q. of Bohemia, and Daughter to Edward Woodward of Lee near Windsor, Esq;

Esq; (who, after his Decease, married Thomas Heneage of Battersea in Surry, Esq;) an only Son,

[2d Bart.] Sir THOMAS, who succeeded his Grandfather, and was knighted by K. Cha. 1, and died in 1697. He had Issue by Anne, his Wife, Daughter of Sir Henry Vane of Raby-Castle, Kt, five Sons and three Daughters; 1. Sir Henry. 2. Thomas, who died unmarried. 3. Edward, who died young. 4. Robert, who married a Daughter of William Kiffin of London, Merchant, and had Issue, Thomas, Member for Leftwithiel in the first Parliament of King Geo. 1, and died in 1718; who, by Mary Nelthorpe, his Wife, had Henry, his only Son, and one Daughter. 5. George, who died a Batchelor. 6. Frances, married first to Thomas Vane of Raby-Castle, Esq; eldest Brother to Christopher late Lord Barnard, and secondly to Sir John Bright of Badsworth in the C. of York, Bart. 7. Elizabeth, to Christopher Stockdale of Bilton-Park in the same County, Esq; 8. Isabel, who died unmarried.

[3d Bart.] Sir HENRY, the eldest, married Catherine, Daughter, and at length Heir, of Sir John Bright, Bart, and had Issue,

1. THOMAS, who died in 1715, before his Father, leaving Issue by Jane, eldest Daughter of James Clavering of Greencroft in the C. of Durham, Esq; four Sons and a Daughter; of which, only Henry, now Lord Ravensworth, and Thomas, lived to Maturity; 2. John, who was adopted Heir to his Grandfather, Sir John Bright, and took his Name; 3. Henry, who married Anne, Daughter of John Clavering of Chopwell in the C. of Durham, Esq; and died without Issue; 4. George, who was Member of Parliament for Berwick, and died unmarried Oct. 9, 1740; 5. Michael, who died unmarried; 6. Elizabeth, who was married to Robert Ellison of Hebbourn in the C. of Durham, Esq; and had Issue Cuthbert Ellison, Esq; now Member for Shaftesbury. And Sir Henry, their Father, dying Sept. 1, 1723, was succeeded by his Grandson,

[4th Bart and 1st Ld.] Sir HENRY, who was created Lord Ravensworth. He was twice elected to Parliament
for

for Morpeth: His Lordship married, in April 1735, Anne, only Daughter of Sir Peter Delme, Kt, Alderman and Lord-Mayor of London, by whom he hath Issue one Daughter, Anne, who, on the 29th of Jan. 1756, was married to Augustus Earl of Euston, now Duke of Grafton.

A R M S.

Pearl, frettée Ruby. On a Chief of the Second, three Leopards Faces, Topaz.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Lion rampant, Diamond; crowned, Topaz.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On each Side a Leopard, Topaz, spotted Amethyst, gorged with a Mural Crown of the Second.

M O T T O.

Unus et Idem.

Chief S E A T S.

At Ravensworth-Castle and Newton, both in the County of Durham, and Ellington in the County of Northumberland.

A R C H E R, Lord A R C H E R.

MIL. **T**HE Right Honourable Thomas Archer, Lord Archer, Baron of Umberlade, and Custos Rotulorum of the County of Flint.

Created Baron of Umberlade in the County of Warwick, July 14, 1747, 20 George 2.

This Noble Lord is descended from JOHN DE ARCHER, who was summoned to attend William the Conqueror to the Reduction of the Isle of Ely, and is of Norman Extraction,

traſtion, where there are of the Name, and bearing the ſame Arms. This Family have been ſeated at Umlerſlade ever ſince the Reign of K. Hen. 2 : And ANDREW ARCHER, Eſq; purchaſed ſeveral Eſtates in the Reigns of Q. Elizabeth and K. Jam. 1, and was Sheriff of Warwickſhire the 7th of Jam. 1. He married Margaret, Daughter of Simon Raleigh of Farnborough in the C. of Warwick, and had two Sons, Simon, his Heir, and Richard, who was of Nethorp in the C. of Oxford, which Eſtate he acquired by Marriage with Mary, Daughter and Heir of Rowland Bull, Eſq; His elder Brother, SIMON, was Sheriff of Warwickſhire, and was knighted the 21ſt of Aug. 1624. He married Anne, Daughter of Sir John Ferrers of Tamworth-Caſtle in the C. of Warwick, by whom he had Thomas, his Heir, and three Daughters. THOMAS was Colonel in the Parliament-Army, and raiſed a Troop of Horſe at his own Expence; but, finding that Matters were carried ſo far as to endanger the Conſtitution, he retired from his Command, and went abroad; but returned at the Reſtoration, and was elected Member for Warwick 12 Cha. 2, and died in 1685, aged ſixty-ſeven. He married Anne, Daughter of Richard Leigh of London, Eſq; by whom he had Iſſue three Sons, Andrew, Thomas, and Leigh; alſo two Daughters; Elizabeth, Wife of Sir Herbert Croft of Croft-Caſtle in Hertfordſhire, Bart; and Frances, Wife of Sir Francis Rous, of Rous-Lench in Worceſterſhire, Bart. Leigh died unmarried. Thomas was Groom-Porter in the Reigns of Q. Anne, K. Geo. 1, and K. Geo. 2, and died without Iſſue in May 1743. ANDREW was Kt of the Shire for the C. of Warwick in ſix Parliaments, and died Dec. 31, 1741, aged eighty-two. He married Elizabeth, Daughter of Sir Samuel Daſhwood, Lord-Mayer of London in 1702, by whom he had Iſſue three Sons, Thomas, Henry, and Daniel, and four Daughters, Anne, Elizabeth, Sarah, and Diana, which laſt was married to Thomas Chaplin of Blanckney-Hall in the C. of Lincoln, Eſq; Henry has been Member in the three laſt Parliaments for Warwick. He married, in Dec. 1743,
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the Lady Elizabeth Montagu, Sister to George, now Earl of Halifax.

[1st Ld.] THOMAS was chosen Member of Parliament for Warwick in 1734, and for Bramber in 1741: In 1747 he was created Lord Archer, and in April 1750, Custos Rotulorum of the C. of Flint. He married Catherine (Sister to the Lady Sandys) youngest Daughter of Sir Thomas Tipping, Bart, of Wheatfield in the C. of Oxford, and by her, who died in July 1754, hath Issue one Son, Andrew, and two Daughters; Catherine, married in July, 1750, to the Earl of Plymouth; and Anne, married March 15, 1756, to Edward-Turnour Garth of Shillinglet-Park in Suffex, Esq;

A R M S.

Sapphire, three Arrows, Topaz.

C R E S T.

Out of a Mural Crown, Topaz, a Wyvern's Head, Pearl.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Wyverns regardant Pearl, gorged with a Mural Crown, Topaz.

M O T T O.

Sola Bona quæ Honesta.

Chief S E A T S.

At Umberlade near Stratford upon Avon, Warwickshire, and at Pyrgo in Essex.

P O N S O N B Y,

PONSONBY, Lord PONSONBY.

LIV. THE Right Hon. William Ponsonby, Baron Ponsonby, Viscount Duncannon, Baron and Earl of Besborow.

Created Baron of Besborow in the County of Kilkenny, August 1, 1721, 8 George 1; Viscount Duncannon in the County of Wexford, Feb. 1, 1722-3, 9 George 1; and Earl of Besborow, Oct. 6, 1739, 13 Geo. 2; all Irish Honours: And Baron Ponsonby of Sysonby in the County of Leicester, June 12, 1749, 23 George 2.

The Descent of this Noble Family being set forth at large in the Irish Compendium, we shall only add his Lordship's Arms, &c. and observe, that his Countess, the eldest Sister of the present Duke of Devonshire, died Jan. 20, 1760.

A R M S.

Ruby, a Chevron between three Combs, Pearl.

C R E S T.

In a Ducal Coronet Topaz, three Arrows, their Heads downwards, one in Pale, the other in Saltire, enveloped with a Snake proper.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Lions regardant, of the latter.

C h i e f S E A T S.

At Besborow in the County of Kilkenny, and at Bishopscourt in the County of Kildare, both in Ireland.

BEAUCLERCK, Lord VERE.

LV. **T**HE Right Honourable Vere Beauclerck, Lord Vere, Baron of Hanworth in the County of Middlesex.

So created March 28, 1750, 24 George 2.

The Account of the Family of this Noble Lord may be seen at large under the Title of Duke of St. Alban's.

[1st Ld.] **VERE**, created Lord Vere, as above, was third Son of Charles Duke of St. Alban's, by the Lady Diana Vere, eldest Daughter and Coheir of Aubrey de Vere, the last Earl of Oxford of that Noble Family. His Lordship married, in April 1736, Mary, eldest Daughter and Coheir of Thomas Chambers of Hanworth in the C. of Middlesex, Esq; (Sister of the Countess Temple) by the Lady Mary, Sister of James late Earl of Berkeley, by whom he had Issue three Sons, (of whom, only Aubrey is living) and a Daughter, Mary.

A R M S.

Quarterly, in the first and fourth, Quarterly France and England with a Baton, Ruby, charged with three Roses Pearl, second and third quarterly, Ruby and Topaz, in the first Quarter a Mullet Pearl, for Vere.

C R E S T.

On a Chapeau Ruby, turned up Ermine, a Lion passant Topaz, crowned Party per Pale, Pearl and Ruby, and gorged with a Collar of the latter, charged with three Roses Pearl.

S U P P O R T E R S.

The same as the Veres, Earls of Oxford. On the dexter Side, a Boar Sapphire, armed, crined and membered, Topaz. On the sinister, a Harpie of the latter, Face and Neck proper.

M O T T O.

M O T T O.

Vero nil verius.

Chief S E A T.

At Hanworth-House, near Isleworth, Middlesex.

VILLIERS, Lord HYDE.

LVI. **T**HE Right Honourable Thomas Villiers, Lord Hyde of Hindon in the County of Wilts.

So created June 1, 1756, 30 George 2.

An Account of this Noble Family may be seen at large under the Title of Earl of Jersey.

[1st Ld.] THOMAS, created Lord Hyde as above, was second Son to William, late Earl of Jersey, by Judith, only Daughter of Frederick Horn, Esq; Member of Parliament for Dartmouth in the Reign of Queen Anne. His Lordship married, March 30, 1752, the Lady Charlotte Hyde, only Daughter of William Earl of Essex, by his Wife the Lady Jane, Daughter and Coheir of Henry Earl of Clarendon, by whom he has Issue a Son, born Dec. 20, 1752, another born Nov. 23, 1759, a third born Feb. 25, 1760, and other Children. The Title of Baron Hyde is to extend only to the Heirs Male of his Lordship by the said Lady Charlotte Hyde; and, in Default of such Issue, the Title of Baroness Hyde of Hindon, as aforesaid, is to devolve to the said Lady Charlotte Hyde, and the Heirs Male of her Body.

A R M S.

Argent, on a Cross Gules, three Escallop-Shells, Or, on an Escutcheon of the same, Azure, a Chevron between three Lozenges Or.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On either Side an Eagle, Wings Or, ducally collared and legged Or, each charged on the Breast with a Cross Argent.

Chief S E A T S.

At Hindon in Wiltshire, and at Grove in Hertfordshire.

WALPOLE, Lord WALPOLE.

LVII. **T**HE Right Honourable Horatio Walpole, Lord Walpole of Woolterton in Norfolk.

So created in June 1736, 30 George 2.

An Account of the Family of this Noble Lord may be seen at large under the Title of Earl of Orford.

[1st Ld.] HORATIO, created Lord Walpole as above, was second Son of Robert, the Father of Sir Robert Walpole, who was created Earl of Orford. In 1708 he accompanied General Stanhope to Spain, and was Secretary to the Embassy, as he was afterwards at the Hague, when the Lord Townshend was Ambassador, and was also Secretary to the Embassy at the Treaty of Gettruydenburgh. In 1709 he was elected to Parliament for Leithwithiel, and in 1713 for Castle-Rising; in April 1713, he was made Commissioner of the Revenue in Ireland; and, on the Accession of King George 1, he was appointed Chief Secretary to the Lord Townshend, Principal Secretary of State, and was elected to Parliament for Beeralston; but vacating his Seat by accepting the Office of Surveyor and Auditor-General of his Majesty's Revenues in America in 1717, he was the next Year chosen for Eastlow: In 1715 he was sent to the Hague to take care of the Affairs of Great Britain, and on his Return was constituted Secretary to the Treasury, but resigned that Post when his Brother Sir Robert resigned his of First Lord of the Treasury. In 1720 he was made Secretary to the Duke of Grafton,

Grafton, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, and sworn of the Privy-Council there, and in 1721 was again made Secretary of the Treasury. In 1722 he was elected to Parliament for Eastlow and Great Yarmouth, and made his Election for the latter, for which he was again chosen in 1727 and 1734, and in all the succeeding Parliaments for Norwich. On the 15th of May, 1724, he was declared Ambassador Extraordinary at the Court of France, having been sent there some Time before on Affairs of great Importance; and in 1728 was appointed his Majesty's second Plenipotentiary at the Congress of Soissons. On the 1st of May, 1730, he was made Cofferer of his Majesty's Household, as on the 12th of Nov. following he was sworn one of the Privy-Council. In April, 1741, he was made one of the Tellers of the Exchequer. He married, on the 21st of July, 1720, Mary, Daughter of Peter Lambard, Esq; by whom he had Issue, 1. HORATIO, who succeeded him, was Comptroller of the Pipe, Clerk of the Estreats in the Exchequer, and Member in the present Parliament for Lynn, and married in May, 1748, the Lady Rachel Cavendish, youngest Daughter to the late Duke of Devonshire, by whom he had Issue a Son, born June 13, 1752; 2. Thomas; 3. Richard; 4. Mary; 5. Henrietta-Louisa; 6. Anne. His Lordship dying Feb. 3, 1757, was succeeded by his Son,
[2d Ld.] HORATIO, the present Lord.

A R M S.

Or, on a Fess between two Chevrons Sable, three Cross Croislets, a Crescent for Difference.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Royal Hart proper, charged with a Cross Croislet, and on the Shoulder a Crescent Or; and on the sinister, a Lion rampant, charged with a Cross Croislet, and on the Shoulder with a Crescent Sable.

Chief S E A T.

At Woolterton in Norfolk.

MURRAY, Lord MANSFIELD.

LVIII. **T**HE Right Honourable William Murray, Lord Mansfield, Baron of Mansfield in the County of Nottingham, Lord Chief-Justice of the Court of King's Bench, one of his Majesty's Most Honourable Privy-Council, and a Governor of the Charter-House.

So created Oct. 25, 1756, 30 George 2.

An Account of the Family of this Noble Lord may be seen at large in the Scotch Compendium under the Title of Viscount Stormont.

[1st Ld.] WILLIAM, created Lord Mansfield as above, is third Son of David the fifth Viscount Stormont, by Margery, Daughter of David Scot of Scotstarvat in Fifeshire, Esq; In 1742 he was appointed Solicitor-General to his Majesty, in 1754 Attorney-General, and in Oct. 1756 Lord Chief-Justice of the Court of King's Bench, and April 19, 1757, Chancellor of the Exchequer. He married, in Sept. 1738, the Lady Elizabeth, Sister to the present Earl of Winchelsea, by whom he has no Issue.

A R M S.

Azure, three Mulletts Argent, within a double Tressure, Or.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On either Side a Lion rampant, Gules, the dexter seméed with Mulletts, the sinister with Crosses pattée, Argent.

M O T T O.

Uni æquus Virtuti.

C h i e f S E A T.

At Cane-Wood in Hampstead, Middlesex.

HILL, Lord HARWICH.

LIX. **T**HE Right Honourable Wills Hill, Lord Harwich of Harwich in Essex, and Earl of Hillsborough, Viscount and Baron Kilworling in the Kingdom of Ireland, and one of his Majesty's Most Honourable Privy-Council.

Created Baron and Viscount Kilworling Aug. 21, 1717; Earl of Hillsborough Oct. 3, 1751; and Baron Harwich Nov. 24, 1756, 30 George 2.

The Descent of this Noble Family being set forth at large in the Irish Compendium, we shall only add his Lordship's Arms, &c.

A R M S.

Sable, on a Fess Argent, between three Leopards passant-guardant, Or, three Escallops Gules.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath a Rein-Deer's Head, couped and erect Gules, collared and horned Or.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Dexter Side, a Leopard proper, ducally collared and chained; sinister, a Rein-Deer Gules, collared and chained as the last.

M O T T O.

Ne tentes aut perfice.

Chief S E A T S.

At Hillsborough in the County of Downe, at North-Aston in the County of Oxford, and at Timweston in the County of Bucks,

LYTTELTON,

LYTTELTON, Lord LYTTELTON.

LX. **T**HE Right Honourable George Lyttelton, Baron Lyttelton of Frankley in Worcestershire, and Baronet, one of his Majesty's Most Honourable Privy-Council, and F. R. S.

Created Baronet June 25, 1618, and Baron of Frankley in Worcestershire, by Letters Patent dated Nov. 19, 1756, 30 George 2.

This Family appears to have been of very ancient Standing and considerable Rank at South-Lyttelton and Frankley in Worcestershire; for so early as the 9th of Edw. 2, Thomas de Luttelton or Lyttelton was chose Knight of the Shire for that County. His Son Thomas was Esquire of the Body to King Richard 2, Henry 4, and Henry 5; and his Great Grandson, Thomas, was Knight of the Bath, and Judge of the Common-Pleas. This Sir Thomas Lyttelton was the Author of the famous Treatise on Tenures, which Lord Coke so learnedly commented upon, and styles its Author the English Justinian and Father of the Law. ~~He flourished under King Henry 4 and King Edward 4.~~

Sir Thomas, Father of the present Lord, sat in three Parliaments as Knight of the Shire for the County of Worcester, and in one for Camelford in Cornwall. He was many Years one of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty. He married, May 8, 1708, Christian, Daughter of Sir Richard Temple of Stow in Buckinghamshire, Bart, and Maid of Honour to ~~Queen Anne~~, by whom he had six Sons and six Daughters: 1. GEORGE, Lord Lyttelton. 2. Thomas, who died unmarried April 16, 1729, being at that Time Page of Honour to the Princess Royal. 3. Charles, LL.D. Dean of Exeter, one of his Majesty's Chaplains in Ordinary, and Rector of Alve-Church in Worcestershire. 4. Richard, who died in his Infancy. 5. Another Richard, formerly Page of Honour to her late Majesty Queen Caroline, now Major-General of his Majesty's Forces, Knight of the Bath, Master of the Jewel-Office, and

*Ann Hyde
2d. of York*

and Member of Parliament for Poole in Dorsetshire. He married, Dec. 14, 1745, Rachel, Dutchess-Dowager of Bridgwater, and Daughter of Wriothesly Duke of Bedford. 6. William, appointed Governor of South Carolina in Jan. 1755. 7. Christian, married to Thomas Pitt of Boconnock in Cornwall, Esq; and died June 4, 1750. 8. Anne, married to the Rev. Francis Aytough, D. D. Prebendary of Winchester, and formerly Preceptor to the Prince of Wales and Prince Edward. 9. Mary; 10. Penelope; 11. Amelia; all deceased. 12. Hester, now living, unmarried. And Sir Thomas, their Father, dying Sept. 14, 1751, aged 66, was succeeded by his Son,

[1st Ld.] GEORGE, now Lord Lyttelton, who was born Jan. 17, 1708-9, was chosen in several Parliaments one of the Representatives for the Borough of Okehampton in Devonshire, was in 1737 appointed Principal Secretary to the Prince of Wales, and in 1744 constituted one of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, which he resigned in 1754, on being appointed Cofferer to his Majesty's Household. The same Year he was made Privy-Counsellor, and in Dec. 1755, having resigned the Office of Cofferer to his Majesty's Household, he was made Chancellor of the Exchequer. This Noble Lord married, June 15, 1742, Lucy, Daughter of Hugh Fortescue of Filleigh in Devonshire, Esq; by whom he has Issue one Son, Thomas, and a Daughter named Lucy, now living. Their Mother dying Jan. 19, 1746-7, he married a second Time, viz. August 10, 1749, Elizabeth Rich, Daughter of Sir Robert Rich, Bart, by whom he has no Issue.

A R M S.

Argent, a Chevron between three Escallops Sable.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath a Moor's Head in Profile, coupéd proper, with a Rowl about the Head, Argent and Sable.

S U P P O R.

SUPPORTERS.

Two Tritons, or Mermen, with Tridents, all proper.

MOTTO.

Ung Dieu, Ung Roy.

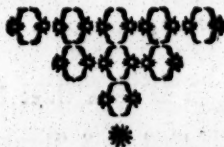
Chief SEATS.

At Hagley-Hall in Worcestershire, (Frankley-House, the old Seat of the Family for several Ages, being burnt down in the Civil War) and at Over-Arcley in Staffordshire.

HENLEY, Lord *HENLEY*.

LXI. **T**HE Right Honourable Robert Henley, Lord Henley, Lord-Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain, and one of his Majesty's Most Honourable Privy-Council.

Created Baron Henley of Grange in the County of Southampton, March 29, 1760.





*An Account of the OFFICES of STATE,
and by whom executed.*

1. Of the Lord High Steward of England.

THE Lord High Steward, called by our Common Lawyers Magnus Angliæ Seneschallus, is the first Great Officer of the Crown, and, as it were, the King's Lord Lieutenant, whose Power, much like that of the ancient Mayors of the Palace of France, was so great and exorbitant, that it was thought fit at last to trust it no longer in the Hands of any Subject.

Henry of Bolingbroke, Son of John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster, and afterwards King of England, by the Name of Henry 4, was the last that had a State of Inheritance in this Office, which was in the fourteenth Year of his Age.

Since that Time, there has been no Lord High Steward made, but only to officiate pro hac vice, either at a Coronation, or for the Arraignment of a Peer or Peeres for a Capital Crime.

At a Coronation he sitteth judicially, and keeps his Court at the King's Palace at Westminster, where he receives the Bills and Petitions of all Noblemen and others, who, by reason of their Tenure, or otherwise, claim to do Services at the King's Coronation, and to receive the accustomed Fee.

In the solemn Procession upon the Coronation-Day, he marches immediately before the King, bearing in his Hand
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St. Edward's Crown; which Office his Grace the Duke of Grafton performed at the Coronation of King George 1, and the Duke of Dorset at that of King George 2.

In Case of a Trial of a Peer or Peerefs for a Capital Crime, he is Judge, and paffes Sentence, as the ancient High Stewards were wont to do; as did the Earl Cowper on the Trials of the Earls of Oxford and Wintoun; the Lord Hardwicke, at the Trials of the Earls of Kilmarnock and Cromartie, and the Lords Balmerino and Lovat; and the Lord Henley, at the Trial of the Earl Ferrers.

During the Trial, he fits under a Cloth of State, (attended by the Heralds and Serjeants at Arms with their Maces) bearing a white Staff in his Hand (which is presented unto him by the Usher of the Black Rod kneeling) and, the Trial being ended, he openly breaks it, which ends his Office.

2. Lord High Chancellor of England.

The Lord High Chancellor, or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal, is always Speaker of the House of Lords, which is the highest Office in England, that any Layman is capable of (when there is no Lord High Steward); he being Chief of all Magistracies in the Kingdom in Civil Affairs, after the King and Princes of the Blood, as the Archbishop of Canterbury is in Matters Ecclesiastical. He presides over the Court of Chancery or Equity, and is to give his Judgment according to Conscience, Equity, and Reason, and not according to the Rigour of the Common Law, as other Civil Courts do. All Patents, Warrants, and Commissions, coming from the King, are perused by him.

By Virtue of his High Office, he is one of the Privy-Council, and hath the Gift of all the Ecclesiastical Benefices in the Crown under 20 l. per Annum in the King's Books; and, for this and other Causes, he was ever, till of late Years, a Clergyman. The Right Hon. the Lord Henley, is the present Lord Keeper, and his Salary is 7000 l. per Ann.

3. Lord

3. Lord High Treasurer of England.

The Lord High Treasurer has under his Charge and Government all the King's Revenue, kept in the Exchequer, as also the Checque of all Officers, any Way employed in collecting Imports, Customs, Tributes, or other Revenues belonging to the Crown.

He hath likewise the Nomination of the Escheaters in every County, and lets Leases of all the Lands belonging to the Crown; and in his Gift are all the Customers, Comptrollers, and Searchers, in all the Ports of England.

This Office was formerly conferred by the Delivery of the Golden Keys of the Treasury, and now by the Delivery of a white Staff to him by the King. It is at present in Commission, and his Grace the Duke of Newcastle is the first, and the Right Hon. Henry Bilson Legge, Esq; the second, and is also Chancellor and Under-Treasurer of the Exchequer.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer hath the Custody of the Exchequer Seal, and Superintendency over the Lord Treasurer's Rolls; and the Offices of Comptroller of the Pipe, Clerk of the Pleas, and Clerk of the Nichils, are in his Gift; and, as Under-Treasurer, he has the Gift of the two Appraisers of the Court.

Note, The Salary of the Commissioners of the Treasury (which are five) is 1600 l. per Ann, each.

4. Lord President.

His Office is to attend the King, to propose Business at the Council-Table, and to report to the King the several Transactions there, when his Majesty has been absent from the Council.

The Right Honourable John Earl Granville is the present Lord President: A Post of Honour rather than Profit.

5. Lord

5. Lord Privy Seal.

The Lord Privy Seal is an Officer of great Trust ; for all Charters and Grants of the King, all Pardons signed by his Majesty, and divers other Matters of less Moment, as for the Payment of Monies, &c. which do not pass the Great Seal, pass through his Hands ; but first they must pass the Signet in the Secretary's Office, which, being directed to the Lord Privy Seal, is his Warrant for affixing the Privy Seal to the Grant, and the Privy Seal is an Authority to the Lord Chancellor (or Lord Keeper) to pass the Great Seal, when the Nature of the Grant requires it. Thus, what passes from the King, has these several Ways of being considered, before it can be perfected.

Richard Earl Temple is the present Lord Privy Seal, Salary 3000 l. per Ann.

6. Lord Great Chamberlain of England.

At the Coronation of every King or Queen, he claims forty Ells of Crimson Velvet for his own Robes ; and on the Coronation-Day, before the King rises, he brings his Shirt, Coif, and Wearing-Clothes ; and, after the King is dressed by him, he claims his Bed, with the Furniture of his Bedchamber, and all the King's Night-Apparel, for his Fees.

On the Day of Coronation, he carries the Gloves and Linen to be used by the King upon that Occasion ; as also the Sword, the Gold to be offered by the King, and the Robe Royal, and Crown ; and in the Procession he marches with his Coronet, and a white Staff in his Hand. He likewise undresses and attires the King with his Robes, and serves him that Day, before and after Dinner, with Water to wash his Hands, and has the Basen and Towel for his Fees.

To this Great Officer belongs the Care of providing all Things in the House of Lords, during the Sitting of Parliament, and to that end he has an Apartment near the Lords House.

To him belongs all the Government of the whole Palace of Westminster, and he issues out his Warrants for the fitting and furnishing of Westminster-Hall against Coronations, and Trials of Peers, or others tried by Peers, in Parliament.

When the King or Queen goes to the Parliament, he disposes of the Sword of State, to be carried by what Lord he pleases; at which Time, he goes himself before on the right Hand of the Sword, next to the King or Queen's Person, and the Earl Marshal on the left.

Upon all solemn Occasions, the Keys of Westminster-Hall, the Court of Wards, and Court of Requests, are delivered to him; and the Gentleman-Usher of the Black Rod, the Yeoman-Usher, and the Door-keepers, are then under his Command.

To this great Officer belong Livery and Lodging in the Royal Court, and certain Fees due from each Archbishop or Bishop, when they perform their Homage or Fealty to the Sovereign, and from all the Peers of the Realm at their Creation, or doing their Homage.

This Office is hereditary in the Noble Family of Bertie, Duke of Ancaster and Kesteven.

7. Lord High Constable of England.

His Power and Jurisdiction was anciently so eminent, that, after the Death of Edward Bagot, (or Stafford) Duke of Buckingham, Anno 1521, it was thought an Office too great for any Subject; so that there has been no High Constable since; except upon a solemn Trial of Combat, as that which was intended between Rey and Ramsey, in the Year 1631, when Robert Earl of Lindsey was made High Constable; or upon a Coronation, when there is created a Lord High Constable for the Day, as was the Duke of Montagu at the Coronation of King George 1, and the Duke of Richmond at that of King George 2.

8. Earl Marshal of England.

The Earl Marshal takes Cognizance (as the Lord High Constable did) of all Matters of War and Arms, wherein he is commonly guided by the Civil Law.

With the Assistance of the Kings of Arms and Heralds, the marshals and orders the Proclamation and Coronation of our Kings, their Marriages, Funerals, Cavalcades, Royal Interviews, Feasts, &c. and also when Peace or War is proclaimed. He therefore keeps a Court of Chivalry in the Common Hall of the College of Heralds, London, where they sit as his Council and Assistants, in their rich Coats of his Majesty's Arms, being all the King's Servants in ordinary; and, when any Dispute arises concerning Descents, Pedigrees, Escutcheons, &c. he is the Judge to determine them.

In the Heralds Office are also kept Records of the Coats of Arms of all the Families and Names in England, when granted, and upon what Occasion; so that, whoever desires a Coat, he must first apply himself to the Earl Marshal, by Petition, with a Certificate annexed, as to his being qualified for it; which being approved of by the Earl Marshal, he sends an Order to Garter King of Arms, and another of the Kings of Arms, being of that Province where the Petitioner resides, to devise Arms for him, and prepare him a Grant, with the Coat blazoned in Colours in the Margin thereof; and this Grant expressly forbids any other, at their Peril, to bear the same Coat.

At the Coronation of a King or Queen, the Earl Marshal appears in his Robes, with his Coronet in his Hand, and Staff, which is of Gold, enamelled black at both Ends, with the King's Arms at the upper End, and his own at the lower.

This Office has continued a long Time, and is hereditary in the Duke of Norfolk's Family, descended by the Mother's Side, from Thomas de Mowbray, Earl of Nottingham, the first Earl Marshal of England; but now it is managed by Deputation, the Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Effingham being the present Deputy.

9. Lord

9. Lord High Admiral of England.

The Lord High Admiral has the Management of all Maritime Affairs, and the Government of the Royal Navy, with Power to decide all Maritime Cases, both Civil and Criminal. He judges of all Things done upon or beyond the Sea, in any Part of the World, all Things done upon the Sea-Coasts, in all Ports and Havens, and upon all Rivers below the first Bridge next the Sea. By him Vice-Admirals, Rear-Admirals, and all Sea-Captains are commissioned, all Deputies for particular Coasts, and Coroners to view dead Bodies found on the Coasts, or at Sea.

He also appoints Judges for his Court of Admiralty, and may imprison, release, &c. and hath sometimes a Commission to bestow Knighthood on such as shall deserve it at Sea.

To the Lord High Admiral belong, by Law and Custom, all Penalties and Amercements of all Transgressors at Sea, on the Sea-shore, in Ports, Havens, &c. the Goods of all Pirates, or Felons condemned or out-lawed by a Court of Admiralty, Sea-Wrecks, all Goods lying in the Sea on Ground, Goods floating on the Sea, or cast on the Shore, not granted to Lords of Manors adjoining to the Sea, and a Share of all lawful Prizes. Also all great Fishes, as Sea-Hogs, and others of extraordinary Bigness, commonly called Royal Fishes, except Whales and Sturgeons.

In short, this is so great an Office, in point of Trust, Honour and Profit, that it has usually been given to Princes of the Blood, or the most eminent Persons among the Nobility; but it is now in Commission amongst seven, who have each 1000*l.* per Annum, including the Right Hon. George Lord Anson, first Commissioner, whose Salary is 3000*l.* per Annum.

Of the Privy-Council.

This Noble, Honourable, and Reverend Assembly, called the Privy-Council, is a Court of great Antiquity and Honour, and is generally composed of the most eminent Persons in the Kingdom, fit to advise the King upon all Emergen-

cies; and upon their Wisdom, Vigilance, Courage, and Integrity, depend, in a great measure, the Honour and Welfare of his Majesty's Dominions in all Parts of the World, they being, by their Oath, according to their Power, truly, justly, and equitably, to advise his Majesty in all Matters to be treated of in Council, and to keep them secret.

By the Advice and Consent of the Privy-Council, the King issues Proclamations, and Declarations, for War or Peace; and out of their Number he has a select Council, commonly called the Cabinet-Council, with whom his Majesty determines such Affairs, as are most important, and require the utmost Secrecy. Here all great Officers of State, and Governors of Plantations, are sworn, Sheriffs declared, and other Officers for publick Governments; and, though a Privy-Counsellor is but a Gentleman, it is made Felony by Act of Parliament to attempt his Life.

Secretaries of State.

Till the Reign of King Henry VIII, there was but one Secretary of State, when that Prince thought fit to have this Office discharged by two Persons of equal Power and Authority, and both called Principal Secretaries of State; and, since the Union of the two Kingdoms, there is a third added, who is likewise stiled Principal, and with the two former attends daily upon the Sovereign, as Occasion requires.

The two former have Europe divided between them into different Provinces, the one called the Southern, which includes France, Spain, Italy, Portugal, Turkey, Ireland, &c. and the Northern contains the rest of Europe (except Scotland) as the Low-Countries, Germany, Denmark, Sweden, Poland, and Muscovy. These Officers send Directions to, and receive Advices from all the Ministers abroad, in their several Provinces; and direct every Thing at Home, be it for the Church, Crown, Army, Militia, Private Grants, Pardons, Dispensations, &c. and Petitions to the Sovereign, and Memorials from Foreign Ministers are by them received, answered, and dispatched, according to the King's Command,

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They have likewise the Custody of the Signet, which is kept in the Signet Office, wherein are four Clerks employed, who prepare such Things as are to pass the Signet, in order to the Privy or Great Seal; for all Grants, signed by the King, are returned hither, and, when transcribed, are carried to one of the Principal Secretaries of State, and sealed, and then it is called a Signet, which, being directed to the Lord Privy Seal, is his Warrant, &c.

The Paper-Office depends also on the Secretaries of State, the Keeper whereof has in his Charge all the publick Papers, Council Letters, and of the publick Ministers abroad; and generally all the Papers and Dispatches, which pass through the Secretaries Office, are transmitted into this, and here disposed as a Library.

The Secretary for the Northern Province, is the Right Hon. Robert Earl of Holderness; for the Southern, the Right Hon. William Pitt, Esq; and the Marquis of Twedale is Principal Secretary for Scotland. Salary for England 2000 l. per Annum each; but are reputed to be worth 8000 l. each.

Steward of the King's Household.

For the Civil Government of the King or Queen's Court, the chief Officer is the Lord Steward of the Household, to whom it is committed, to be ruled and guided by his Direction, he having Authority over all Officers and Servants of the King's House, except those of his Majesty's Chapel, Chamber, and Stables. To him belongs, at the Beginning of Parliaments, to attend the King's Person, and to administer the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy to all the Members of the House of Commons, and, at the End of Parliaments, to adjust the Parliamentary Expences, &c.

He is constituted by the Delivery of a White Staff, which is esteemed his Commission, he bearing it in the King or Queen's Presence; and at other Times going abroad, it is carried by a Footman before him, bare-headed; and by Virtue of his Office, without any other Commission, he

judges all Offences, as Treasons, Murders, Felonies, and Bloodsheds, committed within the Court, or the Verge thereof.

At the Death of the Sovereign, he breaks his Staff over the Hearse wherein the Royal Corpse is deposited, and thereby discharges all the Officers under his Jurisdiction.

His Grace the Duke of Rutland is the present Lord Steward. Salary 4000 l. per Annum.

Lord Chamberlain of the Household.

The Lord Chamberlain hath the Oversight of all the King or Queen's Officers and Servants above Stairs, (except the Precinct of the Bedchamber, which is wholly under the Groom of the Stole) who are all sworn by him (or by his Warrant to the Gentlemen Ushers) to the King.

His Office is also to lead the Queen when she goes abroad, and he has Inspection of all the Officers of the Wardrobe, at all the Sovereign's Houses, and of the removing Wardrobes, or of Beds, Tents, Revels, Musick, Comedians, Hunting, Messengers, Trumpeters, Drummers, Handicrafts, and Artizans, retained in the Sovereign's Service.

He hath likewise the Oversight of the Serjeant at Arms, Physicians, Surgeons, Apothecaries, Barbers, &c. and finally, of his Majesty's Chaplains, though he himself is a Layman. To him also belongs the Oversight of the Charges of Coronations, Marriages, Entries, Cavalcades, Funerals, and of all Furniture in the Parliament, and in the Rooms of Address to the King.

He carries a White Staff in his Hand, as a Badge of his Office, and wears a Gold Key tied with a blue Ribbon about his Pocket.

His Grace the Duke of Devonshire is the present Chamberlain. Salary 4000 l. per Annum.

Vice-Chamberlain.

This Officer is an Assistant or Deputy to the Lord Chamberlain of his Majesty's Household, and is of such Account and Repute, that he is always of the Privy-Council.

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The Right Hon. William Finch, Esq; is the present Vice-Chamberlain. Salary 66l. 13s. 4d. per Annum. Board-Wages 499l. 15s. per Annum.

Treasurer of the Chamber.

His Office is to pay all his Majesty's Family above Stairs; he pays the Chapel, the Yeomen of the Guard, the Messengers, and all travelling Charges.

He receives the Money from the Exchequer, by Warrant from the Lords of the Treasury.

The Right Honourable Charles Townshend, Esq; is the present Treasurer. Salary 314l. 1s. 4d. per Annum.

Treasurer of the Household.

The Treasurer of the King's Household is a White-Staff-Officer; and, in the Absence of the Lord Steward, hath Power, with the other Officers of the Green-Cloth, (an Office so called from a Green-Cloth where they sit) and with the Steward of the Marshalsea, to hear and determine all Offences committed in the King's Palace.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Thomond is the present Treasurer. Wages 123l. 14s. 8d. per Ann. and Board-Wages 1076l. 5s. 4d. per Annum.

Comptroller of the Household.

The Comptroller is an Officer who keeps a Roll of all other Officers of the Green-Cloth's Accompts and Reckonings relating to the Household, and sits at Trials as the Treasurer doth.

Lord Edgumbe is the present Comptroller. Wages 107l. 17s. 6d. Board-Wages 1092l. 2s. 6d. per Ann.

Gentlemen of his Majesty's Bedchamber.

These are frequently called Lords of the Bedchamber, whereof, the first is Groom of the Stole, that is, Groom or Servant of the Long Robe or Vestment; he having the Office and Honour to present and put on his Majesty's first Garment or Shirt every Morning, and to order all Things relating to the Bedchamber.

The other Gentlemen, or Lords of the Bedchamber, usually consist of the prime Nobility of the Realm, whose Office in general is, each one in his Turn, to wait one Week in the King's Bedchamber, there to lie by the King on a Pallet-Bed all Night; and, in the Absence of the Groom of the Stole, to supply his Place; and they also wait upon the King when he eats in private, for then the Cup-bearers, Carvers, and Sewers, do not wait.

The Right Honourable Richard Earl of Rochford is the present Groom of the Stole. Salary 100*l.* per Ann. as is that of each of the other Lords or Gentlemen.

Cofferer of the Household.

The Cofferer, who is a White-Staff-Officer, hath a special Charge over the other Officers of the King's House, and is to pay the Wages of several of his Servants above and below Stairs, as also for Provisions, by the Direction and Allowance of the Green-Cloth: And he likewise sits on Trials and Judgments with the Lord Steward, as the Treasurer and Comptroller do.

His Grace the Duke of Leeds is the present Cofferer. Wages 100*l.* per Ann. Board-Wages 400*l.* per Ann.

Officers of his Majesty's Chapel.

There is first a Dean of the Chapel-Royal, who is chosen by the King; and by the said Dean are chosen all other Officers of the Chapel, as Sub-Dean, Priests, &c. and all Offerings

Offerings made by the King or Queen, on the twelve principal Festivals of the Year, are distributed by him among the Poor.

The Right Reverend Dr. Thomas Sherlock, Lord Bishop of London, is the present Dean. Salary 200*l.* per Ann.

Lord Almoner.

He disposes of the King or Queen's Alms; and for that Use receives (besides other Money allowed by the Sovereign) all Deodands and Goods of Self-Murderers, to be that Way disposed; and besides twenty-four of the Parish or other Poor, to whom he gives 4*d.* in Money, a Two-penny Loaf, and a Gallon of Beer every Morning at the Court Gate, he has the Charge of several poor Pensioners to the Crown, below Stairs, consisting of such as have spent their Youth and been superannuated in the King's Service, &c. and he hath likewise (by an ancient Custom) the Privilege to give the first Dish, which is set upon the Sovereign's Table, to whatever poor Man he pleases, or instead thereof 4*d.* per Diem.

He also on Maunday-Thursdai (being the Thursdai in the Passion-Week) performs the Ceremony of washing the Feet of a certain Number of Poor; which has formerly been done by the Kings themselves, in Imitation of our Saviour's Pattern of Humility.

The Charity bestowed on this Occasion to each Lazar admitted to this Ceremony, is Woollen Cloth for one Suit, Linen for two Shifts, six Penny Loaves of Bread, Fish in Wooden Platters, a Quart Bottle of Wine, and two red Leather Purfes, one with as many single Pence as the King is Years old, the other with as many Shillings as Years of the King's Reign.

The Most Reverend Dr. Thomas Secker, Archbishop of York, is the present Lord Almoner. Salary 200*l.* per Annum.

Clerk of the Clofet.

His Office is to attend at the King's right Hand, during Divine Service, to resolve such Doubts as may arise in spiritual Matters, but chiefly to wait on his Majesty in his private Oratory or Clofet, and to say Grace when his Majesty eats, &c.

The Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Salisbury is the present Clerk of the Clofet.

Master of the Horse to the King.

To this Officer is committed the Charge of ordering and disposing all Matters relating to the King's Stables, Races, Breed of Horses, &c. as he anciently had of all the Posts in England.

He hath the Power of commanding the Equerries, Pages, Footmen, Grooms, Riders of the Great Horses, Coachmen, Farriers, Smiths, Sadlers, and all the other Officers and Tradesmen employed in the King or Queen's Stables; to all which he gives (or by his Warrant to the Avenor) the Oath of Allegiance, &c. for the true and faithful Discharge of their Duty.

He has the Charge of all Lands and Revenues appointed for the Sovereign's Breed of Horses, for Charge of the Stables, and for Litters, Coaches, Sumpter-Horses, &c. and he hath also the Privilege, which no other Servant of the Crown hath, of making Use of any Horses, Pages, or Footmen, belonging to the King's Stables; so that his Coaches, Horses, and Attendants are the King's, and have the King's Arms and Livery. At any solemn Cavalcade, he has the Honour to ride next behind the Sovereign, and leads a Horse of State.

This Office of Master of the Horse is usually conferred on one of the most considerable of the Nobility, and at present it is executed by the Earl Gower. Salary 1276*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* per Annum,

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Gentleman of the Horse to the King.

The Gentleman of the Horse is always the first Equerry, as the Groom of the Stole is always the first Gentleman of the Bedchamber, and is the next immediate Officer under the Master of the Horse; in whose Absence he presides in all Affairs relating to the King's Stables.

The Hon. William Keppel, Esq; Son to the late Earl of Albemarle, is the present Gentleman of the Horse. Salary 256l. per Ann. and 300l. per Ann. as Equerry. Note, the Equerries of the Crown Stable have that distinct Appellation, in that they are employed in mounting, managing, and breaking the Saddle Horses, and preparing them for the King's Riding, and in holding his Majesty's Stirrup, &c. Salary 300l. per Ann. each.

Of the King's Great Wardrobe.

The Master or Keeper of the Great Wardrobe is an Officer of great Dignity, on whom King Henry 6 conferred high Privileges and Immunities, which were confirmed by his Successors; and King James 1 enlarged the same, and ordained that this great Office should be an Incorporation, or Body Politick, for ever.

Belonging to this Office are divers Tradesmen, Artificers, and others, to the Number of sixty, at least, all sworn Servants to the King, whose Business is to furnish several Things from thence, as making Provision for Coronations, Marriages, and Funerals of the Royal Family; to furnish the Court with Beds, Hangings, Cloths of Estate, Carpets, and other Necessaries; to furnish Houses for Ambassadors at their first Arrival; Presents for foreign Princes and Ambassadors; Cloths of Estate, and other Furniture for the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, and all his Majesty's Ambassadors abroad. To provide all Robes for the Lord President of Wales, and foreign Knights of the Garter, Robes for the Knights of the Garter at home, and Robes and all other Furniture for the Officers of the Garter. Coats.
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for Kings, Heralds, and Pursuivants at Arms; Robes for the Lord Treasurer, Under-Treasurer, and Chancellor of the Exchequer, &c. Livery for the Lord Chamberlain, Grooms of his Majesty's Privy-Chamber, Officers of his Majesty's Robes, and several other of his Majesty's Servants; rich Liveries for the two Lord Chief Justices, all the Barons of the Exchequer, divers Officers in those Courts, and all Liveries for his Majesty's Servants, as Yeomen of the Guard, Warders of the Tower, Trumpeters, Kettle-Drummers, Drummers, Fifes, and Messengers. They also furnish all belonging to the Stables, as Coachmen, Footmen, Littermen, Postillions, Grooms, &c. the King's Watermen, and Game-keepers, and all Coaches, Chariots, Harnesses, Saddles, Bits, Bridles, &c. likewise rich embroidered Tilts, and other Furniture for the Barges, Furniture for all Royal Yachts, Furniture for Courts on Arraignment of Peers, with many other Services.

Sir Thomas Robinson, Knight of the Bath, is the present Master. Salary 2000*l.* per Annum.

Of the Band of Gentlemen Pensioners.

The Institution, Nature, and Quality of this Honourable Band cannot be more justly represented than in the following Letter from George Lord Hunsdon to King James, before he came into England, upon the Death of Queen Elizabeth.

Most Mighty and Most Gracious Liege and Sovereign,

AMong many other Honours and Duties which I do owe unto the Memory of my late dear deceased Sovereign, this is not the least; that it pleased her Majesty, upon the Decease of my Lord and Father, who also enjoyed the same Honourable Office, to grace me with the Captainship of her Band of Gentlemen-Pensioners; which Place and Dignity I have to this present enjoyed: For the further Continuance whereof I humbly desire to understand your Majesty's Direction, and withal to think it a Matter agreeable to my Duty and Allegiance, plainly and truly to inform

inform your Majesty of the Institution, Nature, Quality, and Service of this Honourable Band: They are, in all, fifty Gentlemen, besides myself, Lieutenant, Standard-Bearer, Clerk of the Checque, and Gentleman Harbinger, chosen out of the best and the ancientest Families of England, and some of them Sons to Earls, Barons, Knights, and Esquires, Men thereunto especially recommended for their Worthiness and Sufficiency, without any Stain or Taint of Dishonour or Disparagement in Blood. Her Majesty, and other Princes her Predecessors, have found great Use of their Service, as well in the Guard and Defence of their Royal Persons, as also in sundry other important Employments, as well Civil as Military, at Home and Abroad; insomuch as it hath served them always, as a Nursery, to breed up Deputies of Ireland, Ambassadors into Foreign Parts, Counsellors of State, Captains of the Guard, Governors of Places, and Commanders in the War both by Land and Sea: Withal, I cannot omit to signify unto your Majesty their Alacrity and Affection, wherewith, upon the Decease of her Highness, they did embrace your Majesty's Title and Cause; insomuch that, upon my Motion, they did most willingly offer themselves to a strong and settled Combination, by solemn Oath and Vow, to defend and prosecute your Majesty's lawful Right and Title, by themselves, their Friends, Allies, and Followers (being no contemptible Portion of this Kingdom) to the last Drop of their Blood, against all Impugners whatsoever; with which humble and dutiful Desires of theirs to serve your Majesty I thought it my Part and Duty to acquaint you, and withal humbly desire to know your Majesty's Pleasure and Resolution concerning them: I have caused them to remain all about the Court, with their Horses, Armour, and Men, to attend the Body of our late Royal Mistress; and being generally all desirous to wait upon your Majesty at your Entry into this Kingdom, as those that would be loth to be second to any in all obsequious and serviceable Duties to your Majesty, where I humbly desire your Majesty's further Direction.

And even to desire Almighty God, &c.
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This Honourable Band was first instituted by K. Henry 7, and their Office is to attend the King's Person (with their Battle-Axes) to and from his Chapel Royal, and to receive him in the Presence Chamber, or coming out of his Privy Lodgings; they are likewise to attend at all great Solemnities, at Coronations, St. George's Feasts, publick Audiences of Ambassadors, at the Sovereign's going to Parliament, Royal Funerals, &c.

They are each obliged by their Constitution to keep three double Horses and a Servant, who are, as well as themselves, to be armed, and so are properly a Troop of Guards. They wait half at a Time quarterly, but on Christmas-Day, Easter-Day, and Whitsunday, All-Saints, St. George's Feast, the Coronation Days, and on extraordinary Occasions, they are all obliged to give their Attendance, under the Penalty of the Checque. They have likewise the Honour to carry up the Sovereign's Dinner on the Coronation-Day, and at St. George's Feast; at which Times the King or Queen usually confers the Honour of Knighthood on two such Gentlemen of the Band, as their Captain presents.

Their Arms are gilt Battle-Axes.

Their Arms on Horseback, in Time of War, are Cuirassiers Arms, with Sword and Pistols.

Their Standard borne in Time of War, is a Cross Gules, in a Field Argent.

Their Captain is always a Nobleman, or Knight of the Garter, who has under him a Lieutenant, a Standard-Bearer, a Clerk of the Checque, &c. and the present Captain is the Right Honourable Lord Berkeley of Stratton. Salary 1000*l.* per Annum.

Of the Yeomen of the Guard.

In the first Room above Stairs, called the Grand Chamber, attend the Yeomen of the Guard of the King or Queen's Body; whereof, according to their Institution, there used to be 250 Men, each six Feet high. There are at present 300 Yeomen, in daily Waiting, (whereof 40 are Warders.

Warders of the Tower of London) and 70 more not in Waiting; and as any one of the hundred dies, his Place to be filled up out of the 70.

These wear Scarlet Coats and Scarlet Breeches, the Coats richly guarded with Gold Lace, and Blue Velvet; as also adorned on the Back and Chest with an Imperial Crown of Silver embossed and gilt, below which is a Rose and Thistle issuing from one Stem, both proper, and below them a Scroll containing the Motto, Dieu et mon Droit.

They also wear on the dexter Side of those Badges, the Letter G, and on the sinister the Letter R, and, instead of Hats, they wear broad, round, flat-crowned Caps of black Velvet, adorned with White, Red, and Blue Ribbons, (as used in the Reign of King Henry 8) bearing Partizans or Halberds in their Hands, and Swords by their Sides.

Their Office is to wait upon the King or Queen, both at home and abroad; 40 of them waiting by Day, and 20 watching by Night.

These Yeomen also, when the King's Dinner is ready, bring up the Dishes to the Sewers, who set them upon the Table; and their Wages is 39 l. 11 s. 3 d. per Annum each, except eight Yeomen Ushers, who have each 10 l. more.

The Right Honourable Hugh Visc. Falmouth is the present Captain of this Guard. Salary 1000 l. per Annum.

The King's Remembrancer.

In this Office are entered the States of all the Accounts concerning the King's Revenue, for Customs, Excise, Subsidies, and all Aids granted to the Sovereign in Parliament; and all other Accounts, of what Nature soever, except Sheriffs and Bailiffs Accounts.

Felton Hervey, and Felton-Lionel Hervey, Esquires, are the present Remembrancers.

The Auditor of the Exchequer.

His Office is to file the Bills of all the Tellers, whereby they charge themselves with all Money received, and to draw all Orders to be signed by the Lord High Treasurer, (having first a Warrant from him) for issuing out all Monies by Virtue of Privy Seals, which are recorded by the Clerk of the Pells, and entered and lodged in the said Auditor's Office.

He also, by Warrant of the Lord Treasurer, makes Debentures to the several Persons who have Fees, Annuities, or Pensions, by Letters Patent from the King or Queen, out of the Exchequer, and directs them for Payment by the Tellers. He receives every Day the State of the Account of each Teller, and weekly certifies the whole to the Lord High Treasurer, or Lords Commissioners, who immediately present the Estimate or Balance to the Sovereign.

By him are likewise kept the several Registers appointed for paying all Persons in course, upon several Branches of the King's Revenue; and he also keeps the Key of the Treasury, where the ancient Leagues of the Realm, and many Records of the King's-Bench and Common-Pleas, do lie.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Lincoln is the present Auditor.

Tellers of the Exchequer.

Their Office is to receive all Monies due to the King or Queen, and thereupon to throw down a Bill through a Pipe into the Tally-Court, where it is received by the Auditor's Clerk, who there attends to write the Words of the said Bill upon a Tally, and then deliver the same to be entered by the Clerk of the Pells, or his Clerk; which Tally is then cloven by the two Deputy Chamberlains, who have their Seals, and whilst the Senior Deputy reads the one Part, the Junior examines the other.

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The present Tellers are, the Earl of Macclesfield, Thomas Townshend, Esq; Lord Viscount Royston, and the Earl of Waldgrave.

Clerk of the Pells.

His Business is to enter all the Tellers Bills on a Parchment Skin, (in Latin Pellis, whence this Office has its Name) and all Receipts and Payments for the Sovereign, of what Kind soever.

The Honourable Sir Edward Walpole, Kt of the Bath, is the present Clerk.

Clerk of the Pleas.

In this Office all the Officers of the Exchequer, and other privileged Persons, as Debtors to the King, &c. are to have their Privilege to plead, and be impleaded, as to all Matters at the Common Law; and the Proceedings are accordingly by Declarations, Pleas, and Trials, as at the Common-Law, because they should not be drawn out of their own Court, where Attendance is required. The Honourable Sir Edward Walpole, Kt of the Bath, is the present Clerk.

Treasurer of the Navy.

His Office is to receive out of the Exchequer, by Warrant from the Lord Treasurer of England, (or Lords Commissioners executing that Office) all Monies for paying the Charges of the Navy, by Warrant from the principal Officers thereof.

The Right Honourable George Grenville, Esq; is the present Treasurer. Salary 2000l. per Ann. and 800l. more for his Clerks.

Constable of the Tower.

He is usually a Person of the first Quality; and under him there are a Governor, a Deputy-Governor, a Major, a Gentleman Porter, two Master-Gunners, with their subaltern Officers,

Officers, a Chaplain, a Physician, a Surgeon, an Apothecary, and every Officer else, requisite for a well-regulated Corporation.

The Tower is a Prison for all Criminals of State and Quality; there are forty Warders, much like the Messengers of State, who are entrusted with the Care of the Prisoners, and are Part of the Yeomen of the Guard, as before-mentioned.

In the Tower is kept the Mint, or Coinage of Money, and the Office of Ordnance: Also the Magazine of Arms and Powder, where there are seldom less than 3000 Barrels at a Time, and Arms for 60000 Soldiers.

It is a Repository for the Regalia, where are kept the several Crowns, Scepters, and other Ensigns of Royalty of this Kingdom; the Imperial Crown, with which all the Kings and Queens of this Nation have been crowned since Edward the Confessor, Anno 1042.

The Royal Sceptre with the Cross on the Top, of great Antiquity, and in which is a Jewel of inestimable Value, is held by the Kings or Queens in their right Hand, as is the Globe in their left, at the Coronation.

The Diadems which Queen Mary and Queen Anne wore in their Procession, the rich Crown of State, which the Kings and Queens wear on their Throne in Parliament, when they pass the several Acts; in which Crown is an Emerald seven Inches in Circumference, a Pearl owned by all Nations to be the finest in the World, and a Ruby of extraordinary Value.

Another rich Crown, made for the Coronation of Queen Mary, the Royal Consort of King William; and two fine Scepters; the Golden Eagle, in which they kept the consecrated Oil, and other Ornaments of the Regalia, are all kept in the Tower, and under the Care of the Constable, whose Salary is 1000*l.* per Annum.

The present Constable is Charles Earl Cornwallis.

Master of the Ordnance.

This is an Office of great Honour and Importance, having the sole Direction of the Ordnance kept in the Tower of London,

London, which is the Grand Magazine for the Defence of the Nation, as well by Sea as Land. He has also the Command of all the other Magazines or Storehouses of War throughout the Kingdom.

The Right Hon. John Lord Viscount Ligonier is the present Master. Salary 1500*l.* per Annum.

Commissioners of Trade and Plantations.

The Commissioners for managing this Office are extraordinary and ordinary; the former are the Great Officers of the Kingdom, such as the Lord Chancellor, Lord Keeper, Lord President of the Council, Lord Keeper of the Privy Seal, Lord High Treasurer, or First Commissioner of the Treasury, Lord High Admiral, or First Commissioner of the Admiralty, the Secretaries of State, and Chancellor of the Exchequer, which are called extraordinary Commissioners, and have a Clerk to sit at the Board upon extraordinary Occasions, but have no Salaries as Commissioners of Trade; the ordinary Commissioners, are eight in Number, (and chiefly Members of the House of Commons, except one, who is always a Peer, and generally called Head of the Board) have each a Salary of 1000*l.* per Annum, only the Head of the Board has 1500*l.* per Annum.

The Business of this Board is to enquire into the State of the Trade of Great Britain, at home and abroad; but more particularly to take Care of our Plantations in America, which is made Part of their Province, and to provide for the Employment of the Poor, and revive the Fishery.

They are likewise to revise all the Laws passed by the Assembly in the Plantations, and to prepare the Commisions and Instructions of all Governors, Deputy-Governors, and Secretaries going abroad; they also look out for proper Persons to fill these several Offices, and recommend them to his Majesty, &c.

The present First Commissioner is the Right Honourable the Earl of Halifax,

Chancellor of the Dutchy of Lancaster.

This Court takes Cognizance of such Cases as any way concern the Revenue belonging to the said Dutchy, which hath been annexed to the Crown ever since the Reign of Henry 4.

The chief Judge of this Court is called Chancellor of the Dutchy, and is assisted therein by an Attorney-General, and other proper Officers, both in the Court of the Dutchy Chamber held at Westminster, and that held within the County Palatine of Lancaster, at Preston, in which last he has the Assistance of a Vice-Chancellor, and an Attorney-General, &c.

The Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Kinnoul is the present Chancellor.

Lords Lieutenants in England and Wales.

The Lords Lieutenants of Counties are Officers of great Distinction, appointed by the King for managing the Standing Militia in the Country.

They are generally of the principal Nobility, and those of the best Interest in the County. They are to form the Militia, in Case of a Rebellion, &c. and march at the Head of them, as the King shall direct.

They have the Power of commissioning Colonels, Majors, Captains and Subaltern Officers: Also to present the King with the Names of Deputy Lieutenants, whom he is to select from the best Gentry in the County, to act in his Absence. Subservient to the Lord Lieutenant, and Deputy Lieutenants, are the Justices of the Peace, who, according to the Orders they receive from them, are to issue out Warrants to the High and Petty Constables, &c. for Military Service.

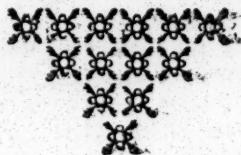
Chancellors of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge.

The Chancellor of Oxford is usually one of the Prime Nobility, and nearest in Favour with the Sovereign Prince, elected

electd by the Students themselves in Convocation, to continue during Life; whose Office is to take Care of the Government of the whole University, to maintain the Liberties and Privileges thereof, to call Assemblies, to hear and determine Controversies, to call Courts, to punish Delinquents, &c.

The Earl of Westmoreland is the present Chancellor; and his Grace the Duke of Newcastle is Chancellor of the University of Cambridge, being electd after the same Manner.

Thus having given an Account of the Nobility, and the Great Officers at Court, &c. we come now to the several Orders of Knighthood; and first, of the Most Noble Order of the Garter.





An Account of the KNIGHTS of the Most Noble Order of the GARTER; with a List of the Names of all those who have been dignified with the said ORDER, from the Time of its first Institution, to the Year 1760.

THIS Most Noble and Illustrious Order (if we consider either its Antiquity, or the Nobleness of the Personages that have been enrolled therein) excels and outvies all other Institutions of Honour in the whole World, and owes its Original to the great Hero of that Age, Edw. 3, who conquered France and Scotland, and brought their Kings Prisoners to England.

It began in 1350, the 24th of his Reign, viz. 119 Years before the Foundation of the Order of St. Michael, by Lewis 9, King of France, 1469; 80 Years before the Institution of the Order of the Golden Fleece, by Philip 2, the second Duke of Burgundy, 1430; and 190 before King James 5 of Scotland restored the Order of St. Andrew, or the Thistle; and 209 Years before the Order of the Elephant was instituted in Denmark.

King Edward, upon a View of recovering of France, (which descended to him by Right of his Mother) made it his Business to draw the best Soldiers in Europe into his Interest, and thereupon projecting and setting up King Arthur's Round Table, he proclaimed a solemn Tilting, to invite Foreigners of Quality and Courage to the Exercise.

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The Place for the Solemnity being fixed at Windfor, he upon New-Year's Day, in 1344, published his Royal Letters of Protection for the safe Coming and Return of such foreign Knights as had a mind to venture their Reputation at those Jests and Tournaments, which were to be held on the 19th of June ensuing.

Moreover, he provided a great Supper, to begin the Solemnity; and then ordaining this Feast to be annually kept at Whitsontide, he for that Purpose erected a particular Building in the Castle, wherein he placed a round Table of 200 Feet Diameter, in Imitation of King Arthur's at Winchester; and thereat entertained the Knights, at his own Expence of 100 l. per Week.

This mighty and invincible Prince Edward, being endowed with great Piety, commended himself and his Companions to the Protection of St. George of Cappadocia; whose Parents being Christians, afforded him the Advantage of being educated in that Religion; and he taking upon him the Profession of a Soldier, was made a Tribune or Colonel (in Palestine, his Mother's Country) in which Post he behaving himself with great Courage and Conduct, he was preferred to higher Stations in the Army, by the Emperor Diocletian; but the said George afterwards complaining of the said Emperor for his Severities against the Christians, and arguing in their Defence, he was thereupon imprisoned and cruelly treated; and the Emperor perceiving his Constancy to the Christians was not to be shaken, he was on the 23d of April, Anno 290, drawn through the City and beheaded; and thus he received the Crown of Martyrdom. And that his Memory might still be continued, King Edward gave his Companions, for Part of their daily Habit, the Image of the said Saint, (sitting on Horseback, encountering a Dragon with a Tilting Spear) appendant to a Blue Ribbon, continually to be worn about their Necks.

In 1347, the said King issuing out his Garter for the Signal of a Battle that was crowned with Success (which is supposed to be the Battle of Cressly) where he took John the French King Prisoner, and brought him to England; at which Time he had also Prisoner David King of Scots, as

before-mentioned; and Edward, his Son, the Black Prince, expelling the Rebels of Castile, and enthroning Don Pedro, their lawful King; he, upon these mighty and glorious Exploits, instituted this Order, giving the Garter Pre-eminence amongst its Ensigns, whence the select Number, whom he incorporated into a Fraternity, were stiled, Equites Aureæ Periscelidis, viz. Knights of the Golden Garter, and the Habit and Ensigns of the Order, together with the Forms of Investiture, are as follow, viz.

Garter, Surcoat, Mantle, Hood, George, Collar, Cap, and Feather; the four first whereof were assigned by the Founder, and the rest by King Henry 8. And all these together are called the whole Habit or Ensigns of the Order, which we shall treat of succinctly, beginning with the Garter.

The Royal Garter, which, as aforesaid, challengeth the Pre-eminence, by reason the Noble Order from thence is denominated, is the first Part of the Habit presented to foreign Princes and absent Knights, who, and all other Knights elect, are therewith first adorned; and is of so great Honour and Grandeur, that, by the bare Investiture with this Noble Ensign, the Knights are esteemed Companions of the greatest military Order in the World.

This Noble Ensign, the Garter, which is worn on the left Leg, between the Knee and Calf, was so instituted by the Founder at the Erection of the Order; and was to put the Companions in mind, That, as by their Order they were joined in a firm League of Amity and Concord; so by their Garter, as by a fast Tie of Affection, they were obliged to love one another.

He also caused to be enamelled on it this Motto, *Honi soit qui mal y pense*, signifying that the Magnanimity and Bravery of those Knights, whom he had elected into this Order, were such as would impower and enable them to maintain the Quarrel against all who thought ill of it.

The Materials whereof the Garter was composed for King Charles 2, were Blue Velvet, bordered with fine Gold Wire, the Letters of the Motto, and Stops, Rose and Table Diamonds, (the whole containing 250) and the Hinge

of the Buckle was pure Gold, whereon was the Sovereign's Picture to the Breast, crowned with a Laurel (the Military Garb of the first Roman Emperors) and on the Backside of the Pendant, which was also of Gold, was engraved St. George on Horseback, encountering the Dragon, as in the Cut.

When the Sovereign designs to elect a Companion into this most illustrious Order, the Chancellor belonging to the said Order draws up the Letters, which, passing both under the Sovereign's Sign Manual, and the Signet of the Order, are sent to the Person by Garter Principal King of Arms, and are to this Effect :

' We, with the Companions of our Most Noble Order of the Garter, assembled in Chapter holden this present Day, at our Castle at Windsor, considering the virtuous Fidelity you have shewn, and the honourable Exploits you have done in our Service, by vindicating and maintaining our just Right, &c. have elected and chosen you one of the Companions of our Order. Therefore we require you to make your speedy Repair unto us, to receive the Ensigns thereof, and be ready for your Installation upon the . . . Day of this present Month, &c.'

The Garter, which (as aforesaid) is of blue Velvet, bordered with fine Gold Wire, (having commonly the Letters of the Motto of the same) is buckled upon the Leg at the Time of the Election, with this Ceremony:

' To the Honour of God Omnipotent, and in Memorial of the Blessed Martyr St. George, tie about thy Leg, for thy Renown, this Noble Garter; wear it as the Symbol of the most illustrious Order, never to be forgotten or laid aside; that thereby thou may'st be admonished to be courageous; and having undertaken a just War, in which thou shalt be engaged, thou may'st stand firm, valiantly fight, and successfully conquer.'

The Princely Garter being thus buckled on, and the Words of its Signification pronounced, the elect Knight is brought

brought before the Sovereign, who puts about his Neck a Sky-coloured Ribbon, whereunto is appendant, (wrought in Gold, within the Garter) the Image of St. George on Horseback, with his drawn Sword, encountering with the Dragon, the Admonition being thus :

‘ Wear this Ribbon about thy Neck, adorned with the Image of the Blessed Martyr and Soldier of Christ, St. George, by whose Imitation provoked, thou may’st so overpass both prosperous and adverse Adventures, that, having stoutly vanquished thy Enemies, both of Body and Soul, thou may’st not only receive the Praise of this transient Combat, but be crowned with the Palm of eternal Victory.’

Having thus far spoken of the Garter and George, where-with a Knight Companion is adorned at the Time of his Election, we shall describe the Remains of his Habit, together with his Installation, which is always performed at the Castle of Windsor.

His Stockings and Breeches (being the same) are of Pearl-coloured Silk, and called Pantaloons. On the Outside of the right Knee, is fixed a Knot of open Silver Lace and Ribbons intermixed, in Form of a large Rose, and a little below the Knee is placed the Garter. His Shoes, which are of white Shamoy, with red Heels, have each a Knot (as the former) on the exterior Side. His Doublet is Cloth of Silver, adorned before and behind, and down the Sleeves, with several Guards, or Rows of open Silver Lace, each Lace having a Row of small Buttons set down the Middle.

The Cuffs are open, and adorned with the aforementioned Lace and Ribbons set in small Loops. At the Bottom of the upper Seam of each Cuff, is fixed a Knot of Silver Ribbons that fall over his Gloves, which are of Kid, laced at the Top with Silver, and adorned at the Opening with a Knot, as that on the Cuff. Then his Trowsers, which are of Tissue, the same of his Doublet, and adorned with two Rows or Bars of Lace and Ribbons, as before-mentioned, intermixed and set at a small Distance, that the Ground appears

appears between them, being buckled round his Waist, are in Form of a Pair of puffed Breeches, reaching to the Middle of his Thighs (as in the Cut.) And in this Habit (having a Blue Ribbon spread over the left Shoulder, and brought under the right Arm, with the George appendant) he proceeds from his Lodgings in the Castle, to the Chapter-House, where disrobing himself of his upper Garment, he is invested with a Surcoat of Crimson Velvet, lined with white Taffata, during which Time the Admonition is given him as follows :

‘ Take this Robe of Crimson, to the Increase of your Honour, and in Token or Sign of the Most Noble Order you have received, wherewith you being defended, may be bold, not only strong to fight, but also to offer yourself to shed your Blood, for Christ’s Faith, the Liberties of the Church, and the just and necessary Defence of them that are oppressed and needy.’

After this, his Sword is close girt about him over his Surcoat, with a Belt the same as the Coat, and then bearing his Cap in his Hand, which is of Black Velvet, adorned with a Diamond Band, and a Plume of white Feathers, with a Heron Sprig in the Middle, he proceeds to his Installation in St. George’s Chapel, being conducted between two Knights Companions of the Order, to the Seat below his Stall, where he (Garter King of Arms having on a Crimson Velvet Cushion, laced and tasselled with Gold, brought the Mantle, Collar, Hood, and the Book of Statutes) laying his right Hand on the New Testament, the Oath is administered to him in the following Manner :

YOU being chosen to be one of the Honourable Company of this Most Noble Order of the Garter, shall promise and swear by the Holy Evangelists, by you here touched, that wittingly or willingly you shall not break any Statute of the said Order, or any Articles in them contained, the same being agreeable, and not repugnant to the Laws of Almighty God, and the Laws of this Realm, as far forth

as to you belongeth and appertaineth : So help you God and his Holy Word.

As soon as the Knight elect hath taken the Oath, he is conducted to his appointed Stall, where he is invested in Manner following :

The Mantle, which is lined as the Surcoat, is of Sky-coloured Velvet, adorned on the left Shoulder with St. George's Cross, encircled with the Garter wreathed on the Edges with Blue and Gold ; and the said Mantle being put on him by the two Knights that led him into the Choir, is fastened about his Neck with a Cordan or Robe-string, made of the same coloured Silk and Venice Gold twisted, the Ends whereof are made into large Knobs or Buttons enriched with a Caul, and fringed. And whilst the Ceremony of Investiture with the Mantle (which is tied upon the right Shoulder) is performing, the Words of Admonition proper thereunto are thus pronounced by the Register :

' Receive this Robe of Heavenly Colour, the Livery of
' this Most Excellent Order, in Augmentation of thy Honour,
' ennobled with the Shield and Red Cross of our Lord,
' by whose Power thou may'st safely pierce Troops of thy
' Enemies, and be over them ever victorious ; and being in this
' temporal Warfare glorious in egregious and heroic Actions,
' thou may'st obtain eternal and triumphant Joy.'

Next, the Hood, which is made of Crimson Velvet, and lined with white Tassata, was formerly worn upon the Head ; but now the Cap taking place, it is laid upon the right Shoulder over the Mantle, and fastened by the Tippet, which comes athwart his Breast, and tucks under his Girdle ; but, this having no Ceremony, we proceed to the Collar.

The Collar, which weighs 30 Ounces Troy, of pure Gold, was brought in by Henry 8, and contains twenty-six Garters enamelled, and as many Knots, alluding to the Sovereign of the Order, and his twenty-five Companions, and, with the Roses and Mottos, is exactly formed and joined as the twelve depicted in the Out ; whereunto St. George on Horseback, in
Armour,

Armour, is appendant, encountering the Dragon with a Tilt-
ing Spear; which Medal, being also of Gold, may be enrich-
ed with jewels at the Pleasure of the Possessor. And this
Collar with the George, being Part of the Habit, is put
over the Mantle and Hood (being fastened on each Shoulder
by a Silver Ribbon) with the following Ceremony:

‘ Wear this Collar about thy Neck, adorned with the
‘ Image of the blessed Martyr and Soldier of Christ, St.
‘ George, by whose Imitation provoked, thou mayest so
‘ overpass both prosperous and adverse Encounters, that,
‘ having stoutly vanquished thy Enemies both of Body and
‘ Soul, thou mayest not only receive the Praise of this tran-
‘ sient Combat, but also, at the last, the endless and ever-
‘ lasting Reward of Victory.’

Then the Cap and Feather being put on the Head of the
elect Knight, his Investiture is compleated; and after Di-
vine Service, and several religious Ceremonies, and Offer-
ings at the High Altar, they, with Trumpets sounding,
march to Dinner.

About the latter End of the Reign of King James 1, it
was decreed, That the lesser George, which heretofore was
daily worn before the Breast, in a Gold Chain, should, for
the more Conveniency of Riding or Action, be worn appen-
dant at a Blue Ribbon, spread over the left Shoulder, and
brought under the right Arm, as before-mentioned; which
Method has so continued to this Day, and even in the Time
of Mourning. And this Medal, which represents St. George
in a riding Posture, with his Sword drawn, encountering
the Dragon, is likewise of pure Gold, and may be enriched
as the former; but is always encompassed with the Garter,
which that is not.

In the Reign of King Charles 2, it was ordained, That
the Sovereign and Knights Companions, as also the Prelate
and Chancellor, should at all Times, and in all Places and
Assemblies, when they were not adorned with their Robes,
wear upon the left Side of their Coats, Cloaks, or Riding
Cassocks, the Cross of the Order, encompassed with the
Garter,

Knights of the Garter.

Garter, (as has been observed) to shew the World, what Height of Honour they arrived to, from the said Most Noble Order, instituted for Persons of the greatest Merit and Worth. And to the said Cross and Garter the said King Charles added a Silver Star of eight Points, in Form as in the Cut is delineated; and for the greater Convenience of travelling, the Companions of the Order were permitted to wear the Blue Ribbon under their Boot, instead of the Garter; but without that and their lesser George, and Star, &c. they, by the Statutes of the Order, are never to appear in Publick, except upon the principal and solemn Feasts of the Year, when they wear their Collars, and then the Ribbon and George is laid aside.

At the great Solemnity of the Installation of a Knight of the Garter, his Helmet, Crest, Sword, Banner, and Plate are to be set over his Stall in the Chapel of St. George at Windsor, as a Mark of Honour, and are there to remain during his being of that Order, the Plate containing the Inscription of his Name, Titles, &c.

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The Royal Founder having established Rules and Statutes for its Government, he next resolved to elect, from among those who had distinguished themselves by their heroic Actions, twenty-five of the most celebrated Knights, who, together with himself, should make up the Number twenty-six, for of so many does the Order consist, and never (at once) has exceeded that Number.

The first that he elected into this Most Noble Order, was Edward, his eldest Son, called the Black Prince; and the rest of his accomplished Collegues were these that follow, and are thus placed in their Stalls,



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| | of Warwick. |
| 5 Piers Captain de Beuch. | 6 Ralph Stafford, Earl of |
| | Stafford. |
| 7 William Montacute, Earl | 8 Roger Mortimer, Earl of |
| of Salisbury. | March. |
| 9 Sir John Lisle. | 10 Sir Barthol. Burghersh. |
| 11 Sir John Beauchamp. | 12 Sir John Mohun. |
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- 31 John de Montford, Duke of Bretagne, and Earl of Richmond.
- 32 William de Bohun, Earl of Hereford.
- 33 William de Bohun, Earl of Northampton.
- 34 John Hastings, Earl of Pembroke.
- 35 Thomas Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick.
- 36 Richard Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel and Surry.
- 37 Robert Ufford, Earl of Suffolk.
- 38 Hugh Stafford, Earl of Stafford.
- 39 Ingeliam de Coucy, Earl of Bedford.
- 40 Guiscard de Angoulesme, Earl of Huntingdon.
- 41 Edward Spencer, Lord Spencer.
- 42 William Latimer, Lord Latimer.
- 43 Reynold Cobham, Lord Cobham of Scarborough.
- 44 John Nevil, Lord Nevil of Raby.
- 45 Ralph Basset, Lord Basset of Drayton.
- 46 Sir Walter Manny, Banneret.
- 47 Sir William Fitz-Warrin, Kt.
- 48 Sir Thomas Ufford, Kt.
- 49 Sir Thomas Felton, Kt.
- 50 Sir Francis Van-Hale, Kt.
- 51 Sir Fulk Fitz-Warrin, Kt.
- 52 Sir Allen Buxhull, Kt.
- 53 Sir Richard Pembruge, Kt.
- 54 Sir Thomas Wright, Kt.
- 55 Sir Thomas Banester, Kt.
- 56 Sir Richard de la Vache, Kt.
- 57 Sir Guy de Bryan, Kt.

Knights elected in the Reign of King Richard 2.

- 58 Thomas of Woodstock, Earl of Buckingham, afterwards Duke of Gloucester.
- 59 Henry of Lancafter, (or Bolingbroke) Earl of Derby, afterwards King of England; of that Name the 4th.
- 60 William Duke of Gelderland.

- 61 William of Bavaria, Earl of Ostrevant, afterwards Earl of Holland, Hainault, and Zealand.
- 62 Thomas Holland, Earl of Kent, afterwards Duke of Surry.
- 63 John Holland, Earl of Huntingdon, afterwards Duke of Exeter.
- 64 Thomas Mowbray, Earl of Northampton, afterwards Duke of Norfolk.
- 65 Edward Earl of Rutland, afterwards Duke of Albe-marle.
- 66 Michael de la Pole, Earl of Suffolk.
- 67 William Scroop, Lord Scroop, afterwards Earl of Wilt-shire, and Lord Treasurer of England.
- 68 William Beauchamp, Lord Bargavenny.
- 69 John Beaumont, Lord Beaumont.
- 70 William Willoughby, Lord Willoughby.
- 71 Richard Grey, Lord Grey.
- 72 Sir Nicholas Sarnsfield, Kt.
- 73 Sir Philip de la Vache, Kt.
- 74 Sir Robert Knolls, Kt.
- 75 Sir John Sulby, Kt.
- 76 Sir Lewis Clifford, Kt.
- 77 Sir Simon Burley, Kt.
- 78 Sir John de Evereux, Kt.
- 79 Sir Richard Burley, Kt, Brother to Sir Simon.
- 80 Sir Bryan Stapleton, Kt.
- 81 Sir Peter Courtney, Kt.
- 82 Sir John Burley, Kt, Nephew of Sir Simon.
- 83 Sir John Bouchier, Kt.
- 84 Sir T. Granston, Kt.
- 85 Sir Robert Dunstabil, Kt.
- 86 Sir Robert de Namur, Kt.
- 87 Sir Sandich de Frane, Kt, alias Sanchet la Tour.

Knights elected in the Reign of King Henry 4.

- 88 Henry Prince of Wales, afterwards King of England;
of that Name the 5th.

- 89 Thomas of Lancaster, Earl of Albemarle, and Duke of Clarence, Brother to Prince Henry.
- 90 John Earl of Kendal, and Duke of Bedford, afterwards Regent of France; another Brother to Prince Henry.
- 91 Humphry Earl of Pembroke, and afterwards Duke of Exeter.
- 92 Thomas Beaufort, Earl of Dorset, and afterwards Duke of Exeter.
- 93 Robert, Count Palatine, Duke of Bavaria, afterwards Emperor of Germany.
- 94 John Beaufort, Earl of Somerset, and Marquis of Dorset.
- 95 Thomas Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel.
- 96 Edmund Strafford, Earl of Strafford.
- 97 Edmund Holland, Earl of Kent.
- 98 Ralph Nevil, Earl of Westmoreland.
- 99 Gilbert Roos, Lord Roos.
- 100 Gilbert Talbot, Lord Talbot.
- 101 John Lovel, Lord Lovel.
- 102 Hugh Burnel, Lord Burnel.
- 103 Thomas Morley, Lord Morley.
- 104 Edward Charlton, Lord Powis.
- 105 Sir John Cornwall, Kt, afterwards Lord Stanhope.
Sir Thomas Piercy, Knight of the Garter, living 7 Richard 2, is mentioned by Ashmole, Page 213, though omitted in his and other Catalogues.
- 106 Sir William Arundel, Kt, of the House of Fitz-Alan.
- 107 Sir John Stanley, Kt.
- 108 Sir Robert de Umfreville, Kt.
- 109 Sir Thomas Ramston, Kt.
- 110 Sir Thomas Erpingham, Kt.

Knights elected in the Reign of King Henry 5.

- 111 Sir John Daubrichcourt, Kt.
- 112 Richard Vere, Earl of Oxford.
- 113 Thomas Camois, Lord Camois.
- 114 Sir Simon Felbryge, Kt.
- 115 Sir William Harrington, Kt.

- 116 John Holland, Earl of Huntingdon.
117 Sigismund, Emperor of Germany.
118 The Duke of Holland.
119 The Duke of Briga.
120 Sir John Blount, Kt.
121 Sir John Robbessart, Kt.
122 Sir William Phelip, afterwards Lord Bardolph.
123 John King of Portugal.
124 Eric King of Denmark.
125 Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick, afterwards
Lieutenant-General, and Governor in France and Nor-
mandy.
126 Thomas Montacute, Earl of Salisbury.
127 Robert Willoughby, Lord Willoughby.
128 Henry Fitz-Hugh, Lord Fitz-Hugh.
129 Sir John Grey, Kt, Earl of Tankerville.
130 Hugh Strafford, Lord Bouchier.
131 John Mowbray, Earl Marshal.
132 William de la Pole, Earl of Suffolk, afterwards Mar-
quis and Duke of Suffolk.
133 John Clifford, Lord Clifford.
134 Sir Lewis Robbessart, Kt, afterwards Lord Bouchier.
135 The Heer, or Sir Henry Van Clux, a German Lord,
Captain of Creuilly in Normandy, 7 Henry 5.
136 Sir Walter Hungerford, afterwards Lord Hungerford,
and Lord Treasurer of England.
137 Philip le Bon, Duke of Burgundy.

Knights elected in the Reign of King Henry 6.

- 138 John Talbot, Lord Talbot, afterwards Earl of Shrews-
bury.
139 Thomas Scales, Lord Scales.
140 Sir John Falstaffe, Kt.
141 Peter, Duke of Conimbra, third Son of John 1, King
of Portugal.
142 Humphry Strafford, Earl of Strafford, afterwards Duke
of Bucks.
143 Sir John Ratcliffe, Kt.

- 144 John Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel, and Lord Maltravers.
- 145 Richard Duke of York, the King's Lieutenant in France and Normandy.
- 146 Edward King of Portugal.
- 147 Edmund Beaufort, Earl of Morion, afterwards Earl of Dorset, and Duke of Somerset.
- 148 Sir John Grey, Kt.
- 149 Richard Nevil, Earl of Salisbury, afterwards Lord Chancellor of England.
- 150 William Nevil, Lord Falconbergh, afterwards Earl of Kent.
- 151 Albert Duke of Austria, afterwards Emperor.
- 152 John Beaufort, Earl of Somerset, afterwards Duke of Somerset, and Earl of Kendal.
- 153 Ralph Butler, Lord Sudley, afterwards Lord Treasurer of England.
- 154 Henry Duke of Visco, fourth Son of John 1, King of Portugal, afterwards King of Portugal.
- 155 John Beaumont, Viscount Beaumont.
- 156 Gaston de Foix, Earl of Longueville and Benanges, Captain de Beuch.
- 157 John de Foix, Earl of Kendal.
- 158 John Beauchamp, Lord Beauchamp of Powick, and afterwards Lord Treasurer of England.
- 159 Alphonfus King of Portugal.
- 160 Albro Vasques d'Almada, Earl of Avranches in Normandy.
- 161 Thomas Hoo, Lord Hoo.
- 162 Sir Francis Surien, Kt.
- 163 Alphonfus King of Arragon.
- 164 Casimir 4, King of Poland.
- 165 William Duke of Brunswick.
- 166 Richard Woodville, Lord Rivers, afterwards created Earl Rivers.
- 167 John Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk.
- 168 Henry Bouchier, Viscount Bouchier, afterwards Lord Treasurer of England, and Earl of Essex.
- 169 Sir Philip Wentworth, Kt.

- 170 Sir Edward Hall, Kt.
171 Frederick 3, Emperor of Germany.
172 John Talbot, Earl of Shrewsbury.
173 Lionel Wells, Lord Wells.
174 Thomas Stanley, Lord Stanley.
175 Edward Prince of Wales.
176 Jasper Earl of Pembroke, afterwards Duke of Bedford.
177 James Butler, Earl of Wiltshire.
178 John Sutton, Lord Dudley.
179 John Bouchier, Lord Berners.
180 Richard Nevil, Earl of Warwick.
181 William Bonvill, Lord Bonvill.
182 John Wenlock, Lord Wenlock.
183 Sir Thomas Kyriell, Kt.

Knights elected in the Reign of King Edward 4.

- 184 George Duke of Clarence.
185 Sir William Chamberlayne, Kt.
186 John Tiptoft, Earl of Worcester, afterwards High Constable of England.
187 John Nevil, Lord Montagu, afterwards Earl of Northumberland, and Marquis of Montagu.
188 William Herbert, Lord Herbert, afterwards Earl of Pembroke.
189 William Hastings, Lord Hastings.
190 John Scrope, Lord Scrope of Bolton.
191 Sir John Astley, Kt.
192 Ferdinand King of Naples, Son of Alphonfus King of Arragon.
193 Francis Sfortia, Duke of Milan.
194 James Earl of Douglas and Murray.
195 Gaillard de Duras, Lord of Duras.
196 Sir Robert Harcourt, Kt.
197 Anthony Woodvile, Lord Scales and Nucells, afterwards Earl Rivers.
198 Richard Duke of Gloucester, afterwards King of England, of that Name the Third.
199 ——— Lord Mountgryson in Apulia,

- 200 John Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk.
 201 John de la Pole, Duke of Suffolk.
 202 William Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel.
 203 John Strafford, Earl of Wiltshire.
 204 John Howard, Lord Howard, afterwards Duke of Norfolk.
 205 Walter Devereux, Lord Ferrers of Chartley.
 206 Walter Blount, Lord Mountjoy.
 207 Charles Duke of Burgundy.
 208 Henry Stafford, Duke of Buckingham.
 209 Thomas Fitz-Alan, Lord Maltravers, afterwards Earl of Arundel.
 210 Sir William Parr, of Kendal, Kt.
 211 Frederick Duke of Urbino.
 212 Henry Percy, Earl of Northumberland.
 213 Edward Prince of Wales.
 214 Richard Duke of York, second Son to King Edward 4.
 215 Thomas Grey, Marquis of Dorset, and Earl of Huntingdon.
 216 Sir Thomas Montgomery, Kt.
 217 Ferdinand King of Castile and Leon.
 218 Hercules d'Este, Duke of Ferrara.
 219 John King of Portugal, Son to Alphonfus 5.

Knights elected in the Reign of King Richard 3.

- 220 Sir John Conyers, Kt.
 221 Thomas Howard, Earl of Surry, afterwards Lord Treasurer of England, and Duke of Norfolk.
 222 Francis Lovel, Viscount Lovel.
 223 Sir Richard Ratcliff, Kt.
 224 Sir Thomas Burgh, Kt, afterwards Lord Burgh.
 225 Thomas Stanley, Lord Stanley, afterwards Earl of Derby.
 226 Sir Richard Tunstall, Kt.

Knights elected in the Reign of King Henry 7.

- 227 John Vere, Earl of Oxford.
228 Sir Giles d'Aubency, afterwards Lord d'Aubency, (or d'Aubigny.)
229 Thomas Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel.
230 George Talbot, Earl of Shrewsbury.
231 John Wells, Viscount Wells.
232 George Stanley, Lord Strange.
233 Sir Edward Wydevil, Knight Banneret.
234 John Dynham (or Dinant) Lord Dynham, Lord Treasurer of England.
235 Maximilian King of the Romans, afterwards Emperor of Germany.
236 Sir John Savage, Kt.
237 Sir William Stanley, Kt, Lord Chamberlain.
238 Sir John Cheney, Knight Banneret.
239 Alphonfus Duke of Calabria and Naples, King of Sicily and Jerusalem.
240 Arthur Prince of Wales.
241 Thomas Grey, Marquis of Dorset.
242 Henry Percy, Earl of Northumberland.
243 Henry Bouchier, Earl of Essex.
244 Sir Charles Somersfet, Knight Banneret, afterwards Earl of Worcester, and Lord Herbert.
245 Robert Willoughby, Lord Brook.
246 Sir Edward Poynings, Kt.
247 Sir Gilbert Talbot, of Grafton, Knight Banneret.
248 Sir Richard Poole.
249 Edward Strafford, Duke of Buckingham.
250 Henry Duke of York, afterwards King of England, of that Name the 8th.
251 Edward Courtney, Earl of Devonshire.
252 Sir Richard Guilford, (or Guldeford) Knight Banneret.
253 Edmund de la Pole, Earl of Suffolk.
254 Sir Thomas Lovell, Knight Banneret.
255 Sir Reginald Bray, Knight Banneret.
256 John King of Denmark.

- 257 Guido Ubaldo, Duke of Urbino.
- 258 Gerald Fitz-Gerald, Earl of Kildare.
- 259 Henry Strafford, Lord Strafford, afterwards Earl of Wiltshire.
- 260 Richard Grey, Earl of Kent.
- 261 Sir Rys ap Thomas, Knight Banneret.
- 262 Philip King of Castile.
- 263 Sir Thomas Brandon, Knight Banneret.
- 264 Charles Archduke of Austria, Prince of Spain, afterwards Emperor of Germany.

Knights elected in the Reign of King Henry 8.

- 265 Thomas Darcy, Lord Darcy.
- 266 Edward Sutton, Lord Dudley.
- 267 Emanuel King of Portugal.
- 268 Thomas Howard, Lord Howard, eldest Son to Thomas Duke of Norfolk, afterwards Earl of Surry, and second Duke of Norfolk.
- 269 Thomas West, Lord La Warr.
- 270 Sir Henry Marney, Kt, afterwards Lord Marney.
- 271 George Nevil, Lord Abergavenny.
- 272 Sir Edward Howard, Kt, second Son to Thomas Duke of Norfolk, second Duke of that Family.
- 273 Sir Charles Brandon, afterwards Duke of Suffolk.
- 274 Julian de Medicis, Brother to Pope Leo 10.
- 275 Edward Stanley, Lord Monteagle, second Son to the Earl of Derby.
- 276 Thomas Dacres, Lord Dacres of Gilleland.
- 277 Sir William Sandys, afterwards Lord Sandys.
- 278 Henry Courtney, Earl of Devonshire.
- 279 Ferdinand, Prince and Infant of Spain, Archduke of Austria, afterwards Emperor of Germany.
- 280 Sir Richard Wingfield, Kt.
- 281 Sir Thomas Bullen, Kt, afterwards Visc. Rochford, and Earl of Wiltshire and Ormond.
- 282 Walter Devereux, Lord Ferrers of Chartley, afterwards Visc. Hereford.
- 283 Arthur Plantagenet, Visc. Lisle.

- 284 Robert Ratcliff, Visc. Fitz-Walter, afterwards Earl of Suffex.
285 William Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel.
286 Thomas Manors, Lord Roos, afterwards Earl of Rutland.
287 Henry Fitz-Roy, afterwards Earl of Nottingham, and Duke of Richmond and Somerset.
288 Ralph Nevil, Earl of Westmorland.
289 William Blount, Lord Montjoy.
290 Sir William Fitz-William, Kt, afterwards Earl of Southampton.
291 Sir Henry Gilford, Kt.
292 Francis I, King of France.
293 John Vere, Earl of Oxford.
294 Henry Percy, Earl of Northumberland.
295 Anthony Montmorency, Duke of Montmorency.
296 Philip Chabot, Earl of Newblanch.
297 James V, King of Scotland.
298 Sir Nicholas Carew, Kt.
299 Henry Clifford, Earl of Cumberland.
300 Thomas Cromwell, Lord Cromwell, afterwards Earl of Essex.
301 John Ruffel, Lord Ruffel, afterwards Earl of Bedford.
302 Sir Thomas Cheney, Kt.
303 Sir William Kingston, Kt.
304 Thomas Audley, Lord Audley of Walden, and Lord Chancellor of England.
305 Sir Anthony Brown, Kt.
306 Edward Seymour, Earl of Hertford, afterwards Duke of Somerset.
307 Henry Howard, Earl of Surry.
308 Sir John Gage, Kt.
309 Sir Anthony Wingfield, Kt.
310 John Sutton, (alias Dudley) Visc. Lisle, afterwards Earl of Warwick, and Duke of Northumberland.
311 William Powlet, Lord St. John of Basing, afterwards Earl of Wiltshire, and Marquis of Winchester.
312 William Parr, Lord Parr of Kendal, afterwards Earl of Essex, and Marquis of Northampton.

- 313 Sir John Wallop, Kt.
- 314 Henry Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel.
- 315 Sir Anthony St. Leger, Kt.
- 316 Francis Talbot, Earl of Shrewsbury.
- 317 Thomas Wriothesly, Lord Wriothesly, afterwards Earl of Southampton.

Knights elected in the Reign of King Edward 6.

- 318 Henry Grey, Marquis of Dorset, afterwards Duke of Suffolk.
- 319 Edward Stanley, Earl of Derby.
- 320 Thomas Seymour, Lord Seymour of Sudley.
- 321 Sir William Paget, Kt. afterwards Lord Paget.
- 322 Francis Hastings, Earl of Huntingdon.
- 323 George Brooke, Lord Cobham.
- 324 Thomas West, Lord La Warr.
- 325 Sir William Herbert, Kt, afterwards Lord Herbert of Cardiff, and Earl of Pembroke.
- 326 Henry 2, King of France.
- 327 Edward Clinton, alias Fines, Lord Clinton, afterwards Earl of Lincoln.
- 328 Thomas Darcy, Lord Darcy of Chiche.
- 329 Henry Nevil, Earl of Westmorland.
- 330 Sir Andrew Dudley, Kt.

Knights elected in the Reign of Queen Mary.

- 331 Philip King of Spain, of that Name the Second, afterwards King of England.
- 332 Henry Ratcliffe, Earl of Suffex.
- 333 Emanuel Philibert, Duke of Savoy.
- 334 William Howard, Lord Howard of Effingham.
- 335 Anthony Brown, Visc. Montacute.
- 336 Sir Edward Hastings, Kt, afterwards Lord Hastings of Loughborough.
- 337 Thomas Ratcliff, Earl of Suffex.
- 338 William Grey, Lord Grey of Wilton,
- 339 Sir Robert Rochester.

Knights elected in the Reign of Queen Elizabeth.

- 340 Thomas Howard, Duke of Norfolk.
341 Henry Manners, Earl of Rutland.
342 Sir Robert Dudley, Kt, afterwards Earl of Leicester.
343 Adolphus, Duke of Holstein.
344 George Talbot, Earl of Shrewsbury.
345 Henry Carey, Lord Hunsdon.
346 Thomas Percy, Earl of Northumberland.
347 Ambrose Dudley, Earl of Warwick.
348 Charles 9, King of France.
349 Francis Russell, Earl of Bedford.
350 Sir Henry Sidney, Kt.
351 Maximilian 2, Emperor of Germany.
352 Henry Hastings, Earl of Huntingdon.
353 William Somerset, Earl of Worcester.
354 Francis Montmorency, Duke of Montmorency.
355 Walter Devereux, Visc. Hereford, afterwards Earl of
Essex.
356 William Cecil, Lord Burleigh, afterwards Lord Treasurer of England.
357 Arthur Grey, Lord Grey of Wilton.
358 Edmund Bruges, Lord Chandos.
359 Henry Stanley, Earl of Derby.
360 Henry Herbert, Earl of Pembroke.
361 Henry 3, King of France.
362 Charles Howard, Lord Howard of Effingham, afterwards Earl of Nottingham.
363 Rodolph Emperor of Germany.
364 Frederick 2, King of Denmark.
365 John Casimir, Count Palatine of the Rhine.
366 Edward Manners, Earl of Rutland.
367 William Brook, Lord Cobham.
368 Henry Scrope, Lord Scrope of Bolton.
369 Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex.
370 Thomas Butler, Earl of Ormond and Ossory.
371 Sir Christopher Hatton, Kt, afterwards Lord Chancellor of England,

- 372 Henry Ratcliffe, Earl of Suffex.
- 373 Thomas Sackville, Lord Buckhurst, afterwards Lord
Treasurer of England, and Earl of Dorset.
- 374 Henry 4, King of France.
- 375 James 6, King of Scotland, afterwards King of Eng-
land.
- 376 Gilbert Talbot, Earl of Shrewsbury.
- 377 George Clifford, Earl of Cumberland.
- 378 Henry Percy, Earl of Northumberland.
- 379 Edward Somerset, Earl of Worcester.
- 380 Thomas Burrough, Lord Burrough.
- 381 Edmund Sheffield, Lord Sheffield, afterwards Earl of
Mulgrave.
- 382 Sir Francis Knolles, Kt.
- 383 Frederick Duke of Wirtemberg.
- 384 Thomas Howard, Lord Howard of Walden, afterwards
Earl of Suffolk, and Lord Treasurer of England.
- 385 George Carey, Lord Hunsdon.
- 386 Charles Blount, Lord Mountjoy, afterwards Earl of
Devonshire.
- 387 Sir Henry Lea, Kt.
- 388 Robert Ratcliff, Earl of Suffex.
- 389 Henry Brook, Lord Cobham.
- 390 Thomas Scrope, Lord Scrope of Bolton.
- 391 William Stanley, Earl of Derby.
- 392 Thomas Cecil, Lord Burleigh, afterwards Earl of Exeter.

Knights elected in the Reign of King James 1.

- 393 Henry Prince of Wales.
- 394 Christian 4, King of Denmark.
- 395 Lodowick Stewart, Duke of Lennox, and afterwards
Duke of Richmond.
- 396 Henry Wriothesley, Earl of Southampton.
- 397 John Erskine, Earl of Marr.
- 398 William Herbert, Earl of Pembroke.
- 399 Ulrick Duke of Holstein.
- 400 Henry Howard, Earl of Northampton.
- 401 Robert Cecil, Earl of Salisbury.

- 402 Thomas Howard, Visc. Bindon.
403 George Hume, Earl of Dunbar.
404 Philip Herbert, Earl of Montgomery, afterwards Earl of Pembroke.
405 Charles Stuart, Duke of York, Prince of Wales, and afterwards King of England, the first of that Name.
406 Thomas Howard, Earl of Arundel, afterwards Earl of Norfolk.
407 Robert Carr, Visc. Rochester, afterwards Earl of Somerset.
408 Frederick Count Palatine of the Rhine, Prince Elector of the Empire, and afterwards King of Bohemia.
409 Maurice de Nassau, Prince of Orange.
410 Thomas Erskine, Visc. Fenton, afterwards Earl of Kelly.
411 William Knolles, Lord Knolles, afterwards Viscount Wallingford, and Earl of Banbury.
412 Francis Manners, Earl of Rutland.
413 Sir George Villiers, Kt, afterwards Baron of Whaddon, then Earl and Marquis of Buckingham, and lastly Earl of Coventry, and Duke of Buckingham.
414 Robert Sidney, Visc. Lisle, afterwards Earl of Leicester.
415 James Hamilton, Marquis of Hamilton, and Earl of Cambridge.
416 Esme Stuart, Duke of Lennox.
417 Christian Duke of Brunswick.
418 William Cecil, Earl of Salisbury.
419 James Hay, Earl of Carlisle.
420 Edward Sackville, Earl of Dorset.
421 Henry Rich, Earl of Holland.
422 Thomas Howard, Visc. Andover, afterwards Earl of Berkshire.

Knights elected in the Reign of King Charles I.

- 423 Claude de Lorraine, Duke of Chevreuse.
424 Gustavus Adolphus, King of Sweden.
425 Henry-Frederick de Nassau, Prince of Orange.
426 Theop.

- 426 Theophilus Howard, Earl of Suffolk.
- 427 William Compton, Earl of Northampton.
- 428 Richard Weston, Lord Weston, Lord Treasurer of England, and afterwards Earl of Portland.
- 429 Robert Bertie, Earl of Lindsey.
- 430 William Cecil, Earl of Exeter.
- 431 James Hamilton, Marquis of Hamilton, Earl of Cambridge and Arran, afterwards Duke of Hamilton.
- 432 Charles Lodowick, Count Palatine of the Rhine, Prince Elector of the Empire, and Duke of Bavaria.
- 433 James Stuart, Duke of Lennox, and Earl of March, afterwards Duke of Richmond.
- 434 Henry Danvers, Earl of Danby.
- 435 William Douglas, Earl of Morton.
- 436 Algernoon Percy, Earl of Northumberland.
- 437 Charles Prince of Wales, afterwards King of England, of that Name the Second.
- 438 Thomas Wentworth, Earl of Strafford.
- 439 James Stuart, Duke of York, afterwards King James, of that Name the Second.
- 440 Rupert Count Palatine of the Rhine, and Duke of Bavaria, afterwards Earl of Holderness, and Duke of Cumberland, second Son of the King of Bohemia.
- 441 William de Nassau, Prince of Orange.
- 442 Bernard de Nogaret de Foix, Duke d'Espèron and de la Valette.

Knights elected in the Reign of King Charles 2.

- 443 Maurice Count Palatine of the Rhine, and Duke of Bavaria, third Son to the King of Bohemia.
- 444 James Butler, Marquis of Ormond, afterwards Earl of Brecknock, and Duke of Ormond, in Ireland and England.
- 445 Edward Count Palatine of the Rhine, and Duke of Bavaria, fifth Son to the King of Bohemia.
- 446 George Villiers, Duke of Buckingham.
- 47 William-Hamilton Douglas, Duke of Hamilton.
- 448 Thomas Wriothesly, Earl of Southampton.

449 William.

- 449 William Cavendish, Marquis of Newcastle, afterwards Duke of Newcastle.
- 450 James Graham, Marquis of Montrose.
- 451 James Stanley, Earl of Derby.
- 452 George Digby, Earl of Bristol.
- 453 Henry Stuart, Duke of Gloucester, third Son to King Charles 1.
- 454 Henry-Charles de la Tremouille, Prince de Tarente.
- 455 William de Nassau, Prince of Orange, afterwards King of England, of that Name the Third.
- 456 Frederick-William, Prince Elector of the Empire, Marquis of Brandenburg.
- 457 John-Gaspar-Ferdinand de Marchin, Count de Graville.
- 458 Sir George Monk, Kt, afterwards Duke of Albemarle.
- 459 Sir Edward Montagu, Kt, afterwards Earl of Sandwich.
- 460 William Seymour, Marquis of Hertford, afterwards Duke of Somerset.
- 461 Aubrey de Vere, Earl of Orford.
- 462 Charles Stuart, Duke of Richmond and Lennox.
- 463 Montague Bertie, Earl of Lindsey.
- 464 Edward Montagu, Earl of Manchester.
- 465 William Wentworth, Earl of Strafford.
- 466 Christian Prince of Denmark, afterwards King of Denmark.
- 467 James Scot, Duke of Monmouth and Buccleugh.
- 468 James Stuart, Duke of Cambridge, Son of James Duke of York.
- 469 Charles 9, King of Sweden, Goths and Vandals.
- 470 John-George 2, Duke of Saxony, Juliers, Cleves, Mentz, Prince Elector of the Empire.
- 471 Christopher Monk, Duke of Albemarle.
- 472 John Maitland, Duke of Lauderdale.
- 473 Henry Somerset, Marquis of Worcester, afterwards Duke of Beaufort.
- 474 Henry Jermyn, Earl of St. Alban's.
- 475 William Russell, Earl of Bedford, afterwards Duke of Bedford.
- 476 Henry Bennet, Earl of Arlington.
- 477 Thomas Butler, Earl of Ossory.

- 478 Charles Fitzroy, Earl of Southampton, afterwards Duke of Southampton and Cleveland.
- 479 John Earl of Mulgrave, afterwards Duke of Buckingham and Normanby.
- 480 William Cavendish, Duke of Newcastle.
- 481 Thomas Osborne, Earl of Danby, afterwards Duke of Leeds.
- 482 Henry Fitzroy, Duke of Grafton.
- 483 William Cecil, Earl of Salisbury.
- 484 Charles Count Palatine of the Rhine.
- 485 Charles Duke of Richmond and Lennox.
- 486 George Prince of Denmark.
- 487 Charles Seymour, Duke of Somerset.
- 488 George Fitzroy, Duke of Northumberland.

Knights elected in the Reign of King James 2.

- 489 Henry Howard, Duke of Norfolk.
- 490 Henry Mordaunt, Earl of Peterborough.
- 491 Laurence Hyde, Earl of Rochester.
- 492 Louis de Duras, Earl of Feversham.
- 493 Robert Spencer, Earl of Sunderland.

Knights elected in the Reign of King William and Queen Mary.

- 494 James Butler, Duke of Ormond.
- 495 Frederick Schonberg, Duke of Schonberg.
- 496 William Cavendish, Earl of Devonshire, afterwards Duke of Devonshire.
- 497 Charles Sackville, Earl of Dorset and Middlesex.
- 498 Frederick 3, Marquis of Brandenburg, Prince Elector and Great Chamberlain of the Holy Roman Empire, afterwards King of Prussia.
- 499 George-William Duke of Brunswick and Lunenburg-Zell, Prince of the Holy Roman Empire.
- 500 Charles Talbot, Duke of Shrewsbury.
- 501 Prince William, Duke of Gloucester.
- 502 John Holles, Duke of Newcastle.

- 503 William Bentinck, Earl of Portland.
- 504 Thomas Herbert, Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery.
- 505 Arnold-Joost Van Keppel, Earl of Albemarle.
- 506 James Douglas, Duke of Queensbury and Dover.
- 507 George-Lewis, Elector of Brunswick-Lunenburgh, &c.
afterwards King of England.

Knights elected in the Reign of Queen Anne.

- 508 Wriothesley Russell, Duke of Bedford.
- 509 John Churchill, Duke of Marlborough.
- 510 Mynhardt Schonberg, Duke of Schonberg.
- 511 Sidney Godolphin, Earl of Godolphin.
- *512 George-Augustus, Prince Electoral of Hanover, now
King of Great-Britain.
- 513 William Cavendish, Duke of Devonshire.
- 514 John Campbell, Duke of Argyll.
- 515 James Hamilton, Duke of Hamilton and Brandon.
- 516 Henry Somerset, Duke of Beaufort.
- 517 Henry de Grey, Duke of Beaufort.
- 518 John Powlett, Earl Powlett.
- 519 Robert Harley, Earl of Oxford and Mortimer.
- 520 Thomas Wentworth, Earl of Strafford.
- 521 Charles Mordaunt, Earl of Peterborough and Monmouth.

Knights elected in the Reign of King George I.

- 522 Charles Powlett, Duke of Bolton.
- 523 John Manners, Duke of Rutland.
- *524 Lionel-Cranfield Sackville, Earl (now Duke) of
Dorset.
- 525 Charles Montagu, Earl of Halifax.
- 526 Frederick-Lewis, Prince of Brunswick-Lunenburgh,
afterwards Duke of Gloucester, (late) Prince of Wales.
- 527 Ernest-Augustus, Prince of Brunswick-Lunenburgh,
Bishop of Osnabrug, and Duke of York.
- 528 Charles Beauclerk, Duke of St. Alban's.
- 529 John Montagu, Duke of Montagu.

- *530 Thomas-Holles Pelham, Duke of Newcastle.
- 531 James Berkeley, Earl of Berkeley.
- 532 Evelyn Pierpoint, Duke of Kingston.
- 533 Charles Spencer, Earl of Sunderland.
- 534 Charles Fitzroy, Duke of Grafton.
- 535 Henry Clinton, Earl of Lincoln.
- 536 Charles Powlett, Duke of Bolton.
- *537 John Manners, Duke of Rutland.
- 538 John Kerr, Duke of Roxborough.
- 539 Richard Lumley, Earl of Scarborough.
- 540 Charles Townshend, Viscount Townshend.
- 541 Charles Lennox, Duke of Richmond.
- 542 Sir Robert Walpole, afterwards Earl of Orford.

Knights elected in the Reign of King George 2.

- *543 William-Augustus Duke of Cumberland, second Son of King George the Second.
- *544 Philip-Dormer Stanhope, Earl of Chesterfield.
- 545 Richard Boyle, Earl of Burlington.
- 546 William-Charles-Henry-Frisko, Prince of Orange.
- 547 William Cavendish, Duke of Devonshire.
- 548 Spencer Compton, Earl of Wilmington.
- 549 William-Capel, Earl of Essex.
- 550 James Waldegrave, Earl Waldegrave.
- 551 Frederick Prince of Hesse.
- 552 Charles Beauclerk, Duke of St. Alban's.
- 553 Charles Spencer, Duke of Marlborough.
- *554 Evelyn Pierpoint, Duke of Kingston.
- *555 William Bentinck, Duke of Portland.
- *556 Frederick Duke of Saxe-Gotha.
- *557 George (now) Prince of Wales.
- 558 Charles-William-Frederick, Margrave of Anspach.
- *559 Thomas Osborne, Duke of Leeds.
- *560 John Russell, Duke of Bedford.
- 561 William-Anne Keppel, Earl of Albemarle.
- *562 John Carteret, Earl Granville.
- *563 Edward Duke of York, second Son of Frederick, (late) Prince of Wales.

*564 William

- *564 William Prince of Orange.
- *565 Henry Clinton, Earl of Lincoln.
- *566 Daniel Finch, Earl of Winchelsea and Nottingham.
- *567 George Brudenel, Earl of Cardigan.
- *568 William Cavendish, Duke of Devonshire.
- 569 Henry Howard, Earl of Carlisle.
- *570 Hugh Percy-Smithson, Earl of Northumberland.
- *571 Francis-Seymour Conway, Earl of Hertford.
- *572 James Waldegrave, Earl of Waldegrave.
- *573 Ferdinand Duke of Brunswick.
- *574 Charles Watson-Wentworth, Marquis of Rockingham.
- *575 Richard Grenville Temple, Earl Temple.

Those marked * are the present Knights.

Of this Most Noble and Illustrious Order of the Garter, there have been eight Emperors of Germany, five Kings of France, three Kings of Spain, one King of Arragon, seven Kings of Portugal, one King of Poland, two Kings of Sweden, six Kings of Denmark, two Kings of Naples, one King of Sicily and Jerusalem, and one King of Bohemia; five Princes of Orange, seven Counts Palatine of the Rhine, one Duke of Savoy, one Elector of Bavaria, one Elector of Saxony, two Electors of Brandenburg, three Dukes of Brunswick-Lunenburg, two Dukes of Holstein, two Dukes of Burgundy, two Dukes of Urbin, one Duke of Guelderland, one Duke of Holland, one Duke of Milan, one Duke of Wirtembergh, one Duke of Ferrara, and one Marquis of Brandenburg.

So that there is no Royal or Princely Family in Europe, but which at one Time or other has thought it an Honour to wear this most Illustrious Order.

OFFICERS *of the* ORDER.

Prelate of the Garter.

His Office is as ancient as the Institution itself, and is of great Honour, but he has neither Salary nor Fees allowed him; only he has convenient Lodgings allowed him in Windsor-Castle, and that, as often as he goes thither, he is allowed Court-Livery for himself and Servants, according to the Degree of an Earl.

By his Oath, he is to be present at all Chapters whereunto he is summoned, to report all Things truly, without Favour or Fear, to take the Scrutiny faithfully, and present it to the Sovereign, to keep secret the Counsels of the Order, to promote and maintain the Honour of it; and lastly, to withstand and reveal what is designed to the contrary.

The present Prelate (who by his Office takes Place in Parliament next to the Bishop of Durham) is the Right Reverend Dr. Benjamin Hoadley, Lord Bishop of Winchester.

Chancellor of the Garter.

His Office is to keep the Great Seal of the Order, and his Place and Precedence in all Proceedings and Sessions, next the Prelate, and in all Places and Assemblies is ranked after the Knights Privy-Counsellors, and before the Chancellor of the Exchequer.

The Statutes allow him Residence in Windsor-Castle, as likewise Diet and Livery in the Sovereign's Court, as are allowed the Prelate. His Business is not only to seal original Statutes, appointed to remain perpetually in Windsor-College, but also those Copies, of which each Knight Companion is obliged to have one in his Keeping, with Letters of Licence, Mandates, and Certificates, relating to the Order.

The present Chancellor is the Right Reverend Dr. John Thomas, Lord Bishop of Salisbury.

Register

Register of the Garter.

This Officer was one of the three constituted at the first Institution of the Order, and has Lodgings in the Castle of Windsor, and on all Solemnities bears on his Breast a Red Book of the Order, with this Device, Two Pens in Saltire, within the Garter.

The present Register is Penniston Booth, D. D. Dean of Windsor.

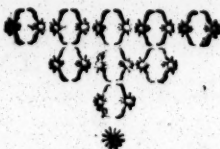
Garter Principal King at Arms.

Stephen-Martin Leake, Esq;

Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod.

The Honourable Sir Henry Bellenden, Kt.

Robert Quarme, Esq; his Deputy.





The Ceremonies observed at the Installation of his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, the Earl of Chesterfield, and the late Earl of Burlington, in the Presence of the Sovereign and Knights Companions of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, at Windsor, on Thursday the 18th of June, 1730.

THERE were present at this Ceremony the following Knights, in the several Stalls belonging to them.

The Duke.	Sovereign.	Prince of Wales.
		Duke of Somerset.
		Duke of Argyll.
Duke of Kent.		
Earl of Strafford.		Earl of Peterborough.
Duke of Dorset.		Duke of Montagu.
Duke of Newcastle.		
Duke of Grafton.		Duke of Bolton.
Earl of Scarborough.		
Duke of Richmond.		Sir Robert Walpole.
Earl of Chesterfield.		Earl of Burlington.

The following Persons attended, and placed themselves in this Method.

The Poor Knights stood in the North Isle of the Chapel of St. George, in a Body, habited in their Mantles, two and two, according to their Seniorities.

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The Prebendaries of that Chapel also in their Mantles stood in the like Manner, two and two, next to the Poor Knights, the Seniors standing nearest to the Door of the Chapter-house.

Next to the Prebendaries, and nearer to the Chapter-house, all the Officers of Arms stood according to their respective Degrees.

The Pursuivants in their Tabarts of the Sovereign's Arms.

The Heralds in their Tabarts, and with their Collars of SS.

The Provincial Kings of Arms in their Tabarts, and Collars and Badges; Lion King of Arms of Scotland, in his Tabart, with his Under-habits of Crimson Velvet, wearing his Jewel and Collar; all in their Orders, next above the Prebendaries, and nearer to the Chapter-house.

In the Dean's Lodgings attended the five Officers of the Order in their different Habits, and with their respective Badges of the Order. The Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, carrying the Black Rod in his Hand, and with his Badge about his Neck; Garter Principal King of Arms, carrying his Rod or Scepter, with the Arms and Ensigns of the Order enamelled thereon upon Gold, and with his Badge; the Dean of Windsor, Register of the Order; all three habited in their Crimson Sattin Mantles.

Next to them, the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Sarum, Chancellor of the Order, and the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Winchester, Prelate of the Order, apparelled in their Mantles of Purple Velvet, and with their respective Jewels or Badges.

The Earls of Burlington and Chesterfield, the Knights elect, in their Under-habits appropriated to the Order, having their Caps with Feathers in their Hands.

The Duke in the like Under-habits, with his Cap in his Hand, and having the Badge of the Order of the Bath, at a Red Ribbon.

The Knights Companions of the Order here above-mentioned, in their compleat Habits, with their great Collars and Georges.

The Sovereign apparelled in the full Habits, and with the great Collar, was received upon his Entry by all the Companions,

panions, who made their Reverences to him, and he saluted them. And from thence a Procession was made into the Chapter-house, the junior Knights entering first, then the Officers of the Order, preceding the Sovereign.

The two Earls (the Knights elected) retired to Chairs placed for them near the Entry of the Chapter-house Door.

The Duke retired to a Chair placed in the same Manner, having waiting upon him his Herald Blanc Courfier invested with a Tabart of the Coat of Arms of his Royal Highness, and with his Jewel or Badge.

The Sovereign having seated himself in his Chair in the Chapter-house, his Majesty commanded that John Anstis, junior, should be called in, and that the Oath of the Office of Garter King of Arms should be administered unto him; who having taken it kneeling, his Majesty was pleased to put the Ensigns of that Office, hanging at a Gold Chain, about his Neck, and to permit him to kiss his Royal Hand. Garter King of Arms was then commanded by the Sovereign to introduce his Royal Highness the Duke from the Chair, where he had placed himself behind the Altar, who at the Door of the Chapter-house was received by the two senior Companions present, the Dukes of Somerset and Argyll, who (with Reverences to the Sovereign) conducted him to the upper End of the Chapter-house, where Garter had before placed the Surcoat, Girdle, and Sword.

Garter then presented to these two Knights Companions the Surcoat of his Royal Highness, who invested him therewith; during which Time the Chancellor read the proper Admonition, Take this Robe, &c.

Then Garter in the same Manner presented the Crimson Velvet Girdle to these two Knights Companions, with the Hanger and Sword, which they buckled and girded his Royal Highness withal.

Garter was then commanded to introduce the Earl of Chesterfield, who was received at the Door by the two junior Knights present, Sir Robert Walpole, and the Duke of Richmond, who conducted him with the like Ceremonies, and coming to the Place where his Surcoat and other Ensigns had been placed, Garter then delivered to the above-mentioned

mentioned two junior Knights the Surcoat, wherewith he was invested, while the Register read the Admonition, Take this Robe, &c.

And then Garter presented the Crimson Velvet Girdle, with the Hanger and Sword, which were buckled and girded about the Knight elect, in the former Method.

Then Garter was commanded to introduce the Earl of Burlington, who was received, conducted, and invested with the same Ceremonies as the Earl of Chesterfield.

The Duke, and these two Knights elect, continued in the Chapter-house, while the Procession was made from thence into the Choir of the Chapel in this Manner.

The Poor Knights moved from their Station in the North Isle, going by Pairs down to the Western End of that Isle, and then passing up through the middle Isle, entered into the Choir, and in the Middle thereof, they, in a joint Body, made their Reverences first to the Altar, and turning about in a Body, made their Obeisances towards the Sovereign's Stall; and passing up to the Steps near to the Altar, there divided themselves, and stood on each Side, one below the other, the Juniors nearest to the Rails.

The Prebendaries staid at the Door of the Choir until the Poor Knights had thus placed themselves, and then entered by Pairs, making the like double Reverences in a Body together, and entered into their Seats under the Stalls, wherein they all stood (except two that attended at the Altar) until all the Knights Companions had taken their Stalls, and the Officers of the Order were seated upon their Forms.

While the Prebendaries were thus entering into their Seats, the Officers of Arms, according to their Degrees, entered into the Choir, made their double Reverences in a Body jointly, and passed up near to the Rails, next to the Poor Knights on each Side.

Then the Knights Companions, according to the Situations of their Stalls, those in the lower Stalls entering first, either by Pairs, or single when the Companion in the opposite Stall was absent, entered into the Choir, and being come a little Way beyond the Sovereign's Stall, made double Reverences in the Middle of the Choir, and being come up against
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their respective Stalls, repeated their Obeisances, and retired under their Banners, where they stood.

The junior Knight or Knights thus standing under the Banners, the next junior Knight or Knights entered in like Manner, made the like Reverences at their Entries, jointly when they were Fellows, and opposite to their Banners, and retired under them, where they stood; which same Ceremonies were performed by all the Knights present, the Juniors entering first, either by Pairs or single, according to their Stalls.

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales entered with the like Reverences, and stood under his Banner.

The Black Rod, Garter, and Register of the Order entered in Breast, and made their Reverences, and retired to their Places, standing before their Forms.

The Chancellor and Prelate did the same.

The Duke of St. Alban's carried the Sword of State, and held it erect before the Sovereign, during the greatest Part of the Solemnity, his Majesty being pleased to grant him Leave sometimes to rest himself; the Vice-Chamberlain went upon the left Hand of this Duke, who carried the Sword; and they both stood on the Steps before or under the Sovereign's Stall, the Sword of State on the right Side thereof.

The Sovereign, at his Entry into the Chapel, made his Reverence to the Altar only, his Train being borne by the eldest Sons of the Dukes of Grafton and Dorset, and the Master of the Robes, who (when his Majesty had ascended his Stall, and made his Reverences therein to the Altar) placed themselves upon the Steps going up to the Sovereign's Stall.

The Sovereign being thus placed, Garter went into the Middle of the Choir, and after his double Reverences, having his Rod or Scepter in his Hand, turned himself to the Prince of Wales, who thereupon came from under his Banner into the Middle of the Choir, and there made his Reverence to the Altar, and to the Sovereign in his Stall, and then went up the nearest Way to his Stall, where he repeated the same Reverences, and then sat down.

All the other Companions continued standing under their Banners.

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The Prelate was conducted by the Serjeant of the Vestry to the Altar, who made the like Reverences, and two Prebendaries were likewise conducted thither in like Manner by the Virger.

Garter then went into the Middle of the Choir with the usual Obeisances, and repaired to the Place under the Stall of the late Duke of York, where he had before laid his Hatchments upon a Stool, and took up the Banner, holding it in his Hand almost rolled up, whilst Lion King of Arms, and the eldest Provincial King of Arms met, and came down from the Haut-pas near the Rails of the Altar, who having made their Reverences in the Middle of the Choir jointly, came to the two senior Knights, the Dukes of Somerset and Argyll, standing under their Banners, and bowing to them; these Knights thereupon came out into the Middle of the Choir, opposite to their own Stalls, and made their Reverences, and then joined and advanced towards the Place where their Hatchments were laid, where Garter delivered to these two Knights, making a Bow to them, the Banner, which these Knights received and carried with the Point thereof forward a little declining, being preceded by these Officers of Arms; and being advanced to the Degrees, or first Step towards the Altar, made their Reverences to the Altar, and to the Sovereign, and at the Rails, to the Altar only; and then these Knights kneeling, delivered the Banner to the Prelate, who gave it to the Prebendaries assisting, who placed the same upright at the South End of the Altar. These Knights then descended, making the like Reverences, and attended by those Officers of Arms, retired under their Banners, and these Officers of Arms, making their double Obeisances in the Middle of the Choir, retired to their former Stations.

Then the two next Officers of Arms in Seniority descended in like Manner, and came to the next two senior Knights, the Duke of Kent and the Earl of Strafford, who removed from under their Banners, to whom Garter delivered the Sword of the late Duke of York, the Pomel or Hilt held upwards, which was carried up to the Rails of the Altar with the same Ceremonies; and then these Knights descended as the former did,

did, and retired, standing under their Banners, and these Officers of Arms retired to their former Stations.

The two next Officers of Arms in Seniority came to the next two senior Knights present, the Earl of Peterborough and the Duke of Dorset, to whom Garter delivered the Helm and Crest of the said late Duke of York, which were carried in the same Manner, and with the same Ceremonies; and these Knights being returned under their Banners, and the Officers of Arms to their Places,

Garter then went into the Middle of the Choir, made his Obeisances, and coming opposite to the Place where he had laid the Hatchments of the late Duke of Devonshire, took up the Banner, and then two Officers of Arms waited upon the above-mentioned two senior Knights, who offered it with the former Ceremonies, and retired under their own Banners.

Two other Officers of Arms waited upon the two next senior Knights above-mentioned, who offered the Sword in the former Method.

Then two other Officers waited upon the two next Knights in Seniority, above-named, who carried up the Helm and Crest, with the former Ceremonies.

Garter then made his Reverence in the Middle of the Choir, and coming opposite to the Place where he had laid the Hatchments of the late Earl of Lincoln,

His Banner was likewise offered by the same two senior Knights present;

His Sword by the two next Knights in Seniority;

His Helm and Crest by the two Knights next to them in Seniority, in the same Manner as the other Hatchments were before carried.

The Knights Companions standing thus under their Banners, during all the Time of these Offerings of the Achievements, Garter then went into the Middle of the Choir, and making his Reverences, turned himself to the eldest Knight, pointing to him with his Rod, who thereon came from his Station under his Banner into the Middle of the Choir, opposite to his Stall, and there made his Reverences, and then went up by the nearest Way to his Stall, where he repeated his Reverences, and sat down.

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Gar-ter repeated the same to the next senior Knight, and to all the other Companions present in like Manner, according to the Situation of their Stalls, which all of them, the Seniors first, entered into, through the nearest Passage, with the like Ceremonies; but where the Knights were Companions in opposite Stalls, they removed at the same Time from under their Banners; and after making their joint Reverences in the Middle of the Choir, at the same Time entered into their Stalls.

All the Knights Companions being thus seated in their Stalls, Gar-ter, after the usual Obeisances, summoned down the two senior Knights present, the Dukes of Somerset and Argyll, appointed by the Sovereign to install his Royal Highness the Duke; who, after making Reverences in their Stalls, descended, and in the Middle of the Choir made their Obeisances, and retired under their Banners.

The Poor Knights forthwith joined and came down into the Middle of the Choir, and there made their Reverences in a Body, and proceeded two and two out of the Chapel, towards the Chapter-house.

The Officers of Arms did the same.

The Usher of the Black Rod, Gar-ter, and Register, in the same Manner.

The Chancellor of the Order.

Then the said Knights appointed to install the Duke.

These Officers of the Order, and these two Knights, entered into the Chapter-house; the Poor Knights and Officers of Arms staying on each Side without the Door, in their usual Manner of placing themselves.

The Poor Knights then began the Procession into the Chapel.

The Officers of Arms followed them.

Gar-ter King of Arms, carrying upon a Velvet Cushion of Crimson Colour, the Mantle, Hood, great Collar of the Order, George, and Statute Book; having upon his right Hand the Register of the Order, and upon his left the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod.

The Chancellor of the Order.

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These two Knights Companions having his Royal Highness the Duke) invested in his Surcoat, and girt with his Sword, and holding his Cap in his Hand) between them.

The Procession was thus made from the Chapter-house to the West End of the Chapel, and thence up the middle Isle into the Choir.

The Poor Knights entered the Choir in the Manner accustomed.

The Officers of Arms in the usual Manner, and proceeded up through the Area of the Chapel, where they made a Stand on each Side, below the Poor Knights.

Then Garter thus carrying the Cushion, with the Ensigns, between the Register and the Black Rod, after the usual Obeisances, placed the same under the Duke's Stall, while the two Knights Companions conducted the Duke directly up into his Stall (because the Sovereign had dispensed with the Duke's taking his Oath, by reason of his tender Years) which, otherwise, was to be administered to him before his Entry into it; and then Garter King of Arms, with the Chancellor, standing under the Stall, Garter delivered the Mantle to these Knights, who invested the Duke therewith, the Chancellor at that Time reading the usual Admonition, Receive this Robe, &c.

Next, Garter presented to these Knights the Hood, who put it over the Duke's right Shoulder, bringing the Tippet or Pendant overthwart, fastened under the Girdle.

Then Garter presented the Great Collar, and George appending thereto, to these Knights, who fastened the same over the Mantle and Hood, whilst the Chancellor read the Admonition, Wear this Collar, &c.

Garter then presented the Statute Book to the Knights, who delivered it to the Duke, and then placed the Cap and Feather upon his Head, and seated him down in his Stall, who rising up, made his double Reverences; when the Knights, who installed him, after embracing and congratulating him, descended into the Middle of the Chapel, and there made their double Reverences, and then ascended into their own Stalls, and repeated the Obeisances therein, and sat

sat down, and the Officers of the Order returned to their Places before their Forms.

Then Garter going into the Middle of the Choir, summoned down the two next Knights Companions in Seniority, the Duke of Kent, and the Earl of Strafford, who descended with the accustomed Reverences, and stood under their Banners.

The Poor Knights then joined again, and proceeded out of the Chapel with the former Ceremonies.

The Officers of Arms in like Manner.

Then the Usher of the Black Rod, Garter, and Register.

After them, these two Knights so summoned, who all proceeded in the former Manner to the Door of the Chapter-house, which the Officers of the Order and these two Knights entered: And these Knights from thence conducted the Earl of Chesterfield, Knight elect, between them, (being in the Surcoat of the Order, carrying his Cap in his Hand) through the North Isle turning below the Organs into the Choir, which they all entered in the usual Manner; and Garter King of Arms (having the Register on his right Hand, carrying the New Testament, and the Form of the Oath fairly wrote, and on his left, the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod) laid down the Cushion, having thereon the Mantle, Great Collar, with the George and Book of Statutes, upon the Desk of the lower Seat under the thirteenth Stall on the Sovereign's Side.

The eldest of these two Knights Companions, who installed him, entered into that lower Seat, then the Earl of Chesterfield, the Knight elect, and after him the other Knight Companion also entered.

The Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod held the New Testament open, on which the Earl of Chesterfield laid his right Hand, while the Register read the Oath, which done, the Knight elect kissed the Book.

Then these Knights, and the Knights elect, came out of this under Seat, and the senior Knight entered into this thirteenth Stall, appointed for this Knight elect, who followed him into it, and the other Knights entered also.

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The Register of the Order, and Garter then entered into the under Seat, the Black Rod continuing in the Area, and from thence Garter presented to these Knights the Mantle, who invested the Earl of Chesterfield therewith, during which Time the Register read the Admonition, Receive this Robe, &c.

Then Garter presented the Hood in like Manner, which these Knights put on the Earl's right Shoulder, fastening the Pendant overthwart under the Girdle.

Garter then presented the Great Collar and George in the same Manner to these Knights, who put it over the Mantle and Hood upon the Earl's Shoulder, fastening it whilst the Register read the Admonition, Wear this Collar, &c.

Then Garter presented in like Manner the Statute Book, which was delivered by the Knights to the Earl; who likewise placed on his Head the Cap and Feathers, and seated him down in his Stall, and then the Officers of the Order retired with the usual Reverences, and stood before their Forms.

The Earl being thus installed, rose up, made his Reverences first towards the Altar, and then to the Sovereign in his Stall, and the Knights Companions, who performed this Ceremony, embraced and congratulated him, and then descended into the Middle of the Choir; and having made their Obeisances, ascended into their own Stalls, where repeating the same, they seated themselves.

Garter then went into the Middle of the Choir, and summoned down the two next senior Knights, the Earl of Peterborough, and the Duke of Dorset, appointed to install the Earl of Burlington, Knight elect; and thereon the like Procession was made, and the same Ceremonies were performed, as in the Case of the Earl of Chesterfield, in every Particular.

These Installations being finished, and the Officers of the Order being returned to their Forms, and all the Companions in their Stalls,

The Officers of Arms came down in a Body, and making their joint Reverences, stood in the Area under the higher Stalls,

Stalls, or those of the senior Knights, Blanc Courfier Herald standing under the Stall of his Master the Duke.

The Poor Knights making Reverences in a joint Body, retired to their Seats.

Divine Service then began; and, after the Creed, the offertory Words being pronounced, Let your Light so shine, &c. the Organs then playing,

The Officers of the Wardrobe spread the Carpet over the Steps that lead up to the Rails of the Altar.

The Poor Knights removed from their Seats, made their double Reverences in a joint Body, and passed up near to the Rails of the Altar, where they divided and placed themselves as before.

The Officers of Arms did the like, and placed themselves as before.

The Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod making his Obeisances, went up to the Rails of the Altar, and standing upon the right Side, received from the Yeomen of the Wardrobe a rich Carpet, which, with his Assistance, he spread upon the other Carpet; and then the Yeomen delivered to him two Cushions, of which they took the Assay, and then laid them down for the Sovereign to kneel on.

While this was doing, Garter arose; and, after his wonted Reverences, summoned all the Knights Companions to descend from their Stalls, and to come into the Area under their Banners, beginning with those in the lowest Stalls, summoning them either single, or by Pairs when they were Fellows in opposite Stalls, pointing to every one of them with his Rod or Scepter, which he held in his right Hand.

Each Knight having made Reverences in his Stall, came down; and, in the Middle of the Choir, before his Stall, repeated his Reverences, and retired under his Banner.

His Royal Highness the Duke did the same.

The Prince of Wales, with the like Ceremonies, came down and stood under his Banner.

The Prelate of the Order placed himself in the midst before the Altar, holding a gilt Bason, two Prebendaries assisting him.

All the Companions standing thus under their Banners, the Sovereign having made his Reverences towards the Altar in his Stall, descended from it; and, in the Middle of the Choir, made another Reverence, and at the Steps of the Altar, and proceeding up to the Rails of the Altar, there repeated the same.

Which Procession of the Sovereign was in this Manner :

Garter King of Arms, and the Register of the Order, in Breast.

The Chancellor of the Order,

The Duke of St. Alban's carrying the Sword of State, supported by the Vice-Chamberlain going on the left Hand.

The Sovereign ; his Train borne as before.

The Duke of Somerset, appointed to deliver the Offering to the Sovereign, came from under his Banner, making Reverence to the Altar, and to the Sovereign then in the Procession, and placed himself somewhat behind the Sovereign upon the right Side.

The Sovereign being come against the ninth Stall, the Duke of Grafton, he being Lord Chamberlain of the Household, in Virtue of that Office, removed from under his Banner, and waited upon the Sovereign, going somewhat behind on the left Hand of the Knight Companion, who thus carried the Offering.

The Sovereign being at the Rails of the Altar, the Usher of the Black Rod having taken Assay of the Offering, delivered it kneeling to the Duke of Somerset, who, in like Manner, delivered it to the Sovereign, who, taking off his Cap, and kneeling, put it into the Basin held by the Prelate, and assisted by two Prebendaries.

The Sovereign rising, made his Reverence at the Rails, at the Bottom of the Steps of the Altar, and again in the Middle of the Choir, and ascended into his Stall, and making another Reverence therein (all of them towards the Altar only) then sat down.

All the Attendants in this Procession turned as the Sovereign did, made their Reverences in the same Manner, without

without any Obeisances towards the Sovereign's Stall, his Majesty being in the Proceffion.

The Lord Chamberlain, in his Return, being come opposite to his Stall, made his Obeisances, and retired under his Banner.

The Knight who carried the Offering retired in like Manner.

During this Time, the Officers of the Wardrobe removed the upper rich Carpet and Cushions whereon the Sovereign kneeled, leaving the first Carpet laid over the Steps to remain, and placed two other Cushions near the Rails of the Altar for the Knights Companions to kneel upon.

In the mean Time, the Usher of the Black Rod returned with his accustomed Obeisances, and stood before his Form.

All the Knights Companions thus standing under their Banners, Lion King of Arms, and the eldest Provincial King of Arms joined, came down from the Places where they stood, and making their Reverences in the Middle of the Choir, went towards his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, and bowing to him, he then removed from under his Banner into the Middle of the Choir, made his double Reverences, and was conducted by these Officers to the first Step ascending to the Altar, where the same Reverences were repeated; and at the Rails of the Altar, to the Altar only, where his Royal Highness, taking off his Cap and Feathers kneeled down, and put his Offering of Gold and Silver into the Bason, held as before; and, rising, made his Reverence to the Altar singly, and repeated his double Obeisances at the lowest Step, and was thence conducted by those Officers through the Area of the Chapel, where, after the accustomed Reverences, he ascended into his own Stall, and there repeating his Reverences, sat down therein.

These Officers of Arms returned to their former Stations.

Then Blanc Courfier, Herald to his Royal Highness the Duke, and after him the two senior Officers of Arms, next to those who waited upon the Prince of Wales, in like

Manner went to the Duke, who made his Offering with the same Ceremonies, and returned to his own Stall in like Manner.

The next two eldest Officers of Arms in like Manner conducted all the other Knights, either by Pairs when they were Fellows in opposite Stalls, or single when their Fellows were absent, with the like Solemnities; which Ceremonies were done to all the Knights present respectively, according to the Seniority of their Stalls.

The Sovereign and Knights being all thus in their Stalls, and the Officers of the Order placed upon their Forms, Divine Service proceeded; and, being ended, the Prelate was conducted down to his Seat by the Serjeant of the Vestry, and the two Prebendaries by the Virger.

The Poor Knights standing at this Time on both Sides, near the Rails of the Altar, and the Officers of Arms next to them.

Garter then went into the Middle of the Choir, and in the former Manner summoned down the Knights from their Stalls, either by Pairs or single, who all retired under their Banners, with this only Distinction, that he began by summoning the Knights in the lower Stalls, and proceeded on according to the Juniority of the Knights in a Succession, who all descended with the usual Ceremonies, and stood under their Banners respectively.

The Officers of the Order stood before their Forms.

The Poor Knights came down by Pairs, made their Reverences in a joint Body, and began the Procession out of the Chapel, and being passed by the Sovereign's Stall,

The Prebendaries immediately came out of their Seats by Pairs, and with the same Ceremonies followed the Poor Knights.

Then, after the Prebendaries, all the Officers of Arms in like Manner.

The Knights Companions then removed from under their Banners, either by Pairs or single, the Juniors going first out of the Chapel, observing this Rule, that, as soon as the junior Knight was come opposite to the Sovereign's Stall, the

the next Junior or Juniors removed in like Manner from under their Banners.

His Royal Highness the Duke.

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

Then the Black Rod, Garter, and Register of the Order, in Breast.

The Chancellor and Prelate in Breast.

The Sword of State, and Vice-Chamberlain, as before.

The Sovereign having made his Reverence to the Altar, descended from his Stall, repeated the same, and proceeded out of the Chapel, his Train borne as before.

This Procession was made through the middle Isle, down to the West Door of the Chapel, and then up the South Isle, and out of the South Door to the upper Castle, between the Castle Wall and the Keep, the Trumpets sounding all the Way to the Stairs Foot, that lead up to the Chamber of Presence, where the Drums and Fifes, placed at the Foot of the Stairs, did beat and sound.

The Poor Knights and Prebendaries, entering the Guard-Chamber, filed off on each Side, for the Procession to be made between them.

The Officers of Arms proceeded into the Presence-Chamber, and there filed off on each Side in like Manner, the Pursuivant standing next to the Door whereby they entered; and then the Knights Companions filed off in the like Manner, standing on each Side, according to the Situation of their Stalls; those Companions in the highest Stalls nearest to the State. The Sovereign having the Officers of the Order before him, passed through, while the Companions made their Reverences to him; and the Officers of the Order having disposed themselves on the outside the Knights near the State, the Sovereign standing under the State, saluted the Companions by putting off his Cap and Feather, and then retired into the Privy Lodgings, until Dinner-time.

The Lord Chamberlain, or Vice-Chamberlain, gave Order to the Gentlemen Ushers, to give Warning to the several Officers concerned, to prepare Dinner according to their respective Duties.

When the first Service had been placed both on the Sovereign's Table, and on the Tables of the Knights, the Sovereign, having the Officers of the Order going before him (who waited at the Door coming from the Privy Lodgings for that Purpose) entered again the Presence - Chamber, where the Knights having ranked themselves in the former Manner, according to their Stalls, his Majesty saluted them, and a Procession was thence made into St. George's Hall, in this Manner.

Officers of Arms, two and two.

The Knights single, or by Pairs, according to their Stalls, the Juniors going first, all in their full Robes and Ensigns.

His Royal Highness the Duke.

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

The Black Rod and Garter a-breast.

The Prelate alone, the Sovereign having dispensed with the Absence of the Chancellor.

The Sovereign.

The Officers of Arms, who stood at the lower End of the Hall upon their Entrance into it, the Seniors nearest to the State.

The Knights Companions passed up beyond them, and stood each above the other, according to their Seniority (the Seniors nearest the State) and continued all in a Line or Row on the right-hand Side of the Hall.

The Officers of the Order, coming up before the Sovereign at the Haut-pas, retired on the right Hand at the Top of the Hall, standing behind the Knights.

The Duke and the Prince of Wales stopped at the Haut-pas, until the Sovereign had ascended, and placed himself under the State, and then the Prince of Wales and the Duke ascended the Haut-pas, and stood at the right and left End of the Sovereign's Table.

As the Sovereign passed through to the Haut-pas, all the Knights Companions took off their Caps and Feathers, bowing to him as he passed, who being under the State, there standing, saluted the Knights; and Grace being then said by the Prelate, the Sovereign sat down in his Chair placed

in the Middle of the Table, and then the Prince of Wales on the right, and the Duke at the left End thereof.

Then all the Knights put on their Caps, who, according to their Seniorities, were conducted from the Places where they stood, by the Officers of Arms, to the Inside of the Table, where they all sat in a Row or Line, one below the other, according to their Seniorities in this Order.

Towards the latter End of the first Course, a large gilt Cup with Wine was brought to the Sovereign by the Nobleman who waits as Cupbearer, with the usual Ceremonies.

The Sovereign then was pleased to drink to the Companions, while the Prince of Wales, the Duke, and all the Companions stood uncovered; and a Glass of Wine being brought to every Companion, they all together thus standing up uncovered, pledged the Sovereign, and then sat down, and put on their Caps.

The second Course was then brought in the following Manner to the Sovereign's Table.

Four Serjeants at Arms, with their Maces, going two and two.

Comptroller and Treasurer of the Household a-breast, with their white Staves.

The Sewer.

Gentlemen Pensioners bearing the Dishes.

Two Clerks of the Green Cloth.

Two Clerks Comptrollers.

A Clerk of the Kitchen.

The second Course was then served to the Table of the Knights Companions by the Yeomen of the Guard.

Garter in his Mantle, bearing his Rod, and attended by all the Officers of Arms following him in their Degrees, made his Obeisance at the lower End of the Hall, and again in the Middle thereof, and lastly at the Foot of the Haut-pas, and then ascended the lowest Step thereof, and having there thrice cried *Largeffe*, proclaimed the Sovereign's Stile in Latin.

Then he, with the Officers of Arms, (who continued under the Haut-pas) making another Reverence, proclaimed the Stile in French.

And again, after the like Reverence, proclaimed the Stile in English.

Then Garter and all the other Officers cried Largeſſe thrice.

Garter then bowed to his Royal Highneſs the Duke, and crying Largeſſe twice, the Duke ſtood up, taking off his Cap and Feather, while Garter proclaimed his Stile in English.

Then all the Officers of Arms cried Largeſſe twice; which done, Garter and all the Officers of Arms retired, keeping ſtill their Faces towards the Sovereign, and having made their Reverences, repeated the ſame in the Middle of the Hall, and at the lower End thereof.

Garter then making his Reverences, with all the other Officers of Arms, came oppoſite to that Part of the Table where the Earl of Cheſterfield, the new inſtalled Companion, ſat, where they again made their Obeifances towards the Sovereign; and Garter then turning his Face toward the Earl of Cheſterfield, and bowing to him, the Earl ſtood up uncovered, while Garter cried Largeſſe once, and then proclaimed his Stile and Titles in English.

Garter and the other Officers of Arms having cried Largeſſe once, the Earl of Cheſterfield then ſat down covered.

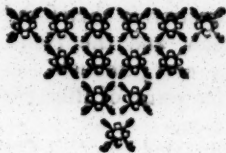
Garter then bowed to the Earl of Burlington, who likewiſe ſtood up uncovered, and crying Largeſſe once, proclaimed his Stile.

Garter and Officers of Arms then cried Largeſſe once, and retired.

The Banquet was afterwards brought up to the Sovereign's Table with the ſame Ceremonies; ſave only that, in Place of the Clerks of the Kitchen, the chief Clerk of the Spicery waited in that Plate; and the Banquet of the Knights Companions was alſo brought up by the Yeomen of the Guard,

Dinner being ended, the Knights Companions arose from their Tables, and the Juniors went off first, being followed by all in that Order, who placed themselves again on the right Side of the Hall one below another; and Grace being said by the Prelate, having washed, the Knights all together made their Reverences to the Sovereign, who put off his Cap and resaluted them.

Then all the Knights and the Officers of the Order present, proceeded before the Sovereign back again to the Presence-Chamber, in the former Method; where the Sovereign having saluted them, they all departed to their Lodgings.





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B A R O N E T S.

THIS Honour was instituted by King James I, A. D. 1611, and made hereditary by his Letters Patent, in the Rolls to be seen, thus: ‘ James, by the Grace of God, &c. We have ordained, erected, constituted, and created a certain Degree, State, Dignity, Name, and Title of a Baronet, within this our Kingdom of England, to endure for ever; to whom the King doth so create, to him, and to the Heirs Male of his Body, &c.’

The Manner of Creation is therefore by Patent under the Great Seal, to a Man, and the Heirs Male of his Body lawfully begotten, for ever; though sometimes the Honour is further intailed, for want of Issue Male, according to the Pleasure of the Sovereign.

None were to be admitted into this Order, unless for Quality, State of Living, and good Reputation, worthy of it, descended of a Grandfather, at least, by the Father's Side, that bore Arms, and who had a certain clear Revenue of at least 1000*l.* per Annum.

At the first Institution of them, King James engaged, that they should not exceed 200 in Number, and that after the said Number should be completed, if any of them became extinct for want of Heirs Male, there should never be any more created in their room, but the Title still diminish, to the great Honour of those that remain: However, a Commission was afterwards ordered, to fill up the vacant Places, with Instructions to treat with others that were

were of the Qualifications before-mentioned, and desired to be admitted into this Order, which is now observed without Limitation.

They are to be stiled Baronets in all Commissions, &c. and to have the Addition of Sir, to precede their Christian Names; and the Title of Lady is to be attributed to their Wives, who are to precede the Wives of all Knights whatsoever, this being an hereditary Honour.

In the Reign of King James I, upon a Controversy of Precedence, after hearing Council three several Days at large, examining Proofs and Informations from the Heralds, by his Majesty in Person it was ordained, decreed, adjudged, and established, that Baronets should take Place of all Knights Bannerets, (those Bannerets only excepted, who are made under the King's Banner, or Standard displayed in an Army Royal in open War, and the King himself personally present) and Knights of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, the Privy-Counsellors, the Chancellor and Under-Treasurer of the Exchequer, Chancellor of the Duchy, the Chief-Justice of the King's Bench, the Master of the Rolls, the Chief-Justice of the Common-Pleas, the Chief-Baron of the Exchequer, and all other Judges and Barons of the Degree of the Coif of the said Courts, who shall (by reason of their honourable Employments of State and Justice) have Place and Precedency before Baronets; but that no other Person under the Degree of Barons of Parliament (except the Sons of Viscounts and Barons, and they of higher Degree) shall take Place before the said Baronets.

It was ordained by his Majesty, that Baronets, and the Heirs Male of their Bodies, shall in all Places, and upon all Occasions, for ever, hold and enjoy their Place and Precedency next unto, and immediately after, the younger Sons of Viscounts and Barons; and that their Wives, and their Heirs Male, shall likewise, by Virtue of their Husbands Dignity, have Place and Precedency next unto the Place that is due to the Wives of the younger Sons of Viscounts and Barons.

His Majesty also declared and granted, that neither he, nor his Successors, would erect, ordain, constitute, or appoint,

point, any other Degree, Order, Name, Stile, Title, Dignity, or State, nor will give any Place or Precedency to any Person, under or beneath the Degree, Dignity, or State of Lords of Parliament, which shall be, or may be accounted to be higher, before, or equal to the Degree, Dignity, or Place of a Baronet.

His Majesty by another Decree ordained, that, forasmuch as the Degree of a Baronet is an hereditary Degree in Blood, therefore did declare, that the eldest Sons of the same Baronets, and their Wives, as well during their Husbands Lives as after, and the Daughters of the same Baronets following next after the Wife of the eldest Son, shall have Place and Precedency before the eldest Son, and the Wife of the eldest Son of any Knight whatsoever, or Order forever; and likewise, that the younger Sons of Baronets, and their Wives, as well during their Husbands Lives as after, shall after the same Manner have Place and Precedency next after the eldest Sons, and the Wives of the eldest Sons, and before the younger Sons, and their Wives, of any Knights whatsoever aforesaid.

It was also ordained by K. James 1, that the Baronets, and the Heirs Male of their Bodies, in the Armies of the King's Majesty, his Heirs and Successors, should have Place in the Gross near the King's Standard, for the Defence thereof. They are also allowed some peculiar Solemnities at their Funerals, viz. two Assistants of the Body to support the Pall, a principal Mourner, and four Assistants to him; being the Mean betwixt a Baron and a Knight.

And that the eldest Sons of Baronets attaining the Age of twenty-one Years (upon Knowledge thereof given to the Lord Chamberlain, or Vice-Chamberlain of the Household, or, in their Absence, any other Officer attending on his Majesty's Person) shall be knighted by his Majesty, his Heirs and Successors, without paying any Fees or Dues for the same, if they should desire it.

So that Baronets have Precedency before all Knights, as well those of the Bath, as Knights Batchelors; and also before Bannetters (except as before-mentioned) and are to take
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Place among themselves, according to the Priority of the Dates of their Patents.

Their Institution being for the Defence of Ulster in Ireland, they have the Arms of that Province assigned them as an Augmentation to their paternal Coat, for their Distinction; borne either on a Canton, or in an Escutcheon of Pre- tence (which they please) in some convenient Part of the Shield, viz. Argent, a sinister Hand coupé at the Wrist, and erect, Gules.

The first 200 that were admitted into this Order of Knighthood, were each obliged to maintain the Number of thirty Foot-Soldiers in Ireland for three Years, at the Rate of 8d. Sterling Money of England by the Day, and to pay the Wages of the first Year into the Exchequer at one Payment upon passing their Patents; and that, with the Fees of Honour due to Officers, amounted to near 1200l. each Man.

The first Creation of this hereditary Title was in 1611, the 9th of James I, he in that Year, on the 22d of May, making divers by Patent that differed not one from another in any Point, more than the Names of them that were created; and the Form was as follows:

*J*AME S, by the Grace of God, &c. Greeting:
Whereas, amongst the other Cares of Sovereignty, with which our Mind is constantly exercised, that neither is the least, nor of least Moment, the Plantation of our Kingdom of Ireland, and chiefly of Ulster, a large and famous Province of the same Kingdom, which, now under our Government, and by our Arms happily subdued, we endeavour so to establish, that so great a Province should more and more flourish, not only in the true Practice of Religion, Civil Humanity, the Probity of Manners, but also in Affluence of Riches, and Abundance of all Things which contribute either to the Ornament or Happiness of the Commonwealth: A Work, indeed, which none of our Progenitors could perform and accomplish, though they had often, with much Expence of Blood and Treasure, attempted it: In which Work, our Royal Care, not only ought to con-
tribute

trive that the said Plantation should be strenuously promoted, Towns founded, Houses and Castles built, Fields tilled, and other Things of that Kind done; but also to regard, in the first Place, that the whole Management of such Civil Affairs should by an armed Power, to wit, by Garrisons and Troops, be protected and communicated to the End, that neither hostile Force, nor intestine Faction, should hinder, or disturb them: And whereas it is intimated unto us, on the Part of certain of our faithful Subjects, that they are most ready, as well with their Persons as their Fortunes, to promote this our Royal Undertaking; we, moved with a Desire of accomplishing so holy and wholesome a Work, and fondly regarding such generous Inclinations and Minds, so addicted to our Service and the publick Good, have resolved with ourselves to be wanting in nothing which may reward the aforesaid Good-will of our Subjects, or excite a Spirit and Alacrity in others to perform their Parts, and furnish their Expences upon this Occasion; therefore weighing and considering with ourselves, that Virtue and Industry are cherished and supported by nothing more than by Honour; and that all the Splendor and Amplitude of Honour and Dignity take their Rise from a King, as from a Fountain, to whose high Prerogative it properly belongs to elect and institute new Titles of Honour and Dignity, as he from whom the old ones flowed; we have thought proper (the Service of the Commonwealth, and the Exigence of the Times so requiring) to reward new Merits with new Ensigns of Dignity: And therefore, of our certain Knowledge and mere Motion, we have ordained, erected, constituted, and created a certain State, Degree, Dignity, Name, and Title of Baronet, within this our Kingdom of England, for ever to endure. Now know ye, that we of our special Grace, and of our certain Knowledge, and mere Motion, have raised, appointed, and created, and by these Presents, for us, our Heirs, and Successors, do raise, appoint, and create our beloved A. B. of C. in the County of D. a Man, in Family, Patrimony, Riches, and Probity of Manners, remarkably eminent, (who, with a generous and liberal Mind, gave and yielded to us a Relief and Supply,

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ample enough to maintain and support thirty Men in our Foot Forces in our said Kingdom of Ireland for three entire Years, for the Defence of our said Kingdom; and especially for the Security of the said Plantation of Ulster) to and into the Dignity, State, and Degree of Baronet, and him A. B. a Baronet, for us, our Heirs, and Successors, do appoint, constitute, and create by these Presents, to have to him, and the Heirs of his Body lawfully begotten, for ever. We will also, and by these Presents, of our special Grace, and of our certain Knowledge, and mere Motion, for us, our Heirs, and Successors, do grant to the aforesaid A. B. and the Heirs Male of his Body lawfully begotten, that he the said A. B. and the Heirs Male aforesaid, may have, enjoy, hold, and take Place and Precedence, by Virtue of the Dignity of Baronet aforesaid, and by Force of these Presents, as well in all Commissions, Writs, Letters Patents, Writings, Appellations, Nominations and Directions, as in all Sessions, Conventions, Companies, and Places whatsoever, before all Knights, as well of the Bath, as Knights Bachelors; and also before all Knights Bannerets now created, or hereafter to be created, (those Knights Bannerets only excepted, who shall happen to be created under the Royal Banner displayed in a Royal Army in open War, and the King himself personally present, and no otherwise :) And that the Wives of the said A. B. and of his Heirs Male aforesaid, by Virtue of the said Dignity of their Husbands aforesaid, may have, hold, enjoy, and take Place and Precedence before the Wives of all others whatsoever, before whom the Husbands of such Wives, by Force of these Presents, ought to have Place and Precedence: And that the first-begotten Son, and all the other Sons, and their Wives, and the Daughters of the said A. B. and of his Heirs Male aforesaid, respectively, may have, and take Place and Precedence before the first-begotten Sons, and other Sons, and their Wives, and the Daughters of all whatsoever, respectively, before whom the Fathers of such first-begotten Sons, and other Sons, and their Wives, and Daughters, by Force of these Presents, ought to have Place and Precedence. We will also,
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and by these Presents, for us, our Heirs, and Successors, of our special Grace, and of our certain Knowledge and mere Motion, do grant that the said A. B. may be named, called, mentioned, may plead, and be impleaded, by the Name of A. B. Baronet; and that the Stile and Addition of Baronet shall be put at the End of the Name of the said A. B. and of his Heirs Male aforesaid, in all our Letters Patent, Commissions, and Writs, and all other Charters, Deeds, and Letters, as a true, legal, and necessary Addition of Dignity. We will also, and by these Presents, for us, our Heirs, and Successors, do ordain, that before the Name of the said A. B. and his Heirs Male aforesaid, in English Speech, and all English Writings, shall be placed this Addition, Sir: And likewise that the Wives of the said A. B. and his Heirs Male aforesaid, shall have, use, and enjoy the Appellation of Lady, Madam, and Dame, respectively, according to the Custom of Speaking. To have, hold, use, and enjoy the said State, Degree, Dignity, Stile, Title, Name, Place, and Precedence, with all and singular the Privileges, and the rest of the Premises, to the aforesaid A. B. and the Heirs Male of his Body issuing, for ever. Willing, and by these Presents granting, for us, our Heirs and Successors, that the said A. B. and his Heirs Male aforesaid, the Name, State, Degree, Stile, Dignity, Title, Place, and Precedence aforesaid, with all and singular the Privileges, and other the Premises, successively may bear, and have, and every of them may bear and have: And that the said A. B. and his Heirs Male aforesaid, successively, may in all Things be held as Baronets, and as Baronets be treated and reputed. And further, of our more ample special Grace, and of our certain Knowledge, and mere Motion, we have granted, and by these Presents, for us, our Heirs, and Successors, do grant unto the said A. B. and his Heirs Male aforesaid, that the Number of Baronets of this Kingdom of England shall never hereafter exceed, in the whole, at any one Time, the Number of two hundred Baronets; and that the said Baronets, and their Heirs Male aforesaid, respectively, from Time to Time, for ever, shall have, hold, and enjoy their Places and Precedencies, among themselves;

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to wit, every of them, according to the Priority and Seniority of his Creation of Baronet, aforesaid. And moreover, of our more abundant special Grace, and of our certain Knowledge, and mere Motion, we have granted, and by these Presents, for us, our Heirs, and Successors, do grant to the aforesaid A. B. and his Heirs Male aforesaid, that neither we, nor our Heirs, or Successors, shall, for the future, erect, ordain, constitute, or create, within this our Kingdom of England, any other Degree, Order, Name, Title, Dignity, or State, under or beneath the Degree, Dignity, or State of Barons of this our Kingdom of England, which shall be, or which can be, superior or equal to the Degree and Dignity of Baronets aforesaid; but as well the said A. B. and his Heirs Male aforesaid, as the Wives, Sons, Sons Wives, and Daughters of the said A. B. and his Heirs Male aforesaid, for ever hereafter, freely and quietly may have, hold, and enjoy their Dignities, Places, and Precedencies aforesaid, before all who shall be of such Degrees, States, Dignities, or Orders, for the future to be created, as aforesaid, respectively, according to the true Intention of these Presents, without the Impeachment of us, our Heirs, or Successors, or of any other whatsoever. And further, by these Presents, we declare and signify our Will and Pleasure to be now and hereafter, and so we have resolved and determined with ourself, that, if after we have compleated and perfected the aforesaid Number of two hundred Baronets of this our Kingdom of England, it shall happen that some, or any of the said Baronets shall depart this Life, without any Heir Male of the Body or Bodies of such Baronet or Baronets begotten; that then we shall not create or appoint any other Person or Persons, Baronet or Baronets of our Kingdom of England; but that the said Number of two hundred Baronets shall therefore, from Time to Time, decrease and be reduced to a lesser Number. Lastly, We will, and by these Presents, for us, our Heirs and Successors, of our special Grace, and of our certain Knowledge, and mere Motion, do grant unto the aforesaid A. B. and Heirs Male aforesaid, that these our Letters Patent shall in all Things, and by all Things, be firm, valid, good, sufficient, and effectua

effectual in Law, as well against us, our Heirs, and Successors, as against all others whatsoever, according to the true Intention of the same, as well in all our Courts, as in any other Place whatsoever, notwithstanding any Law, Custom, Prescription, Use, Ordination, or Constitution whatsoever, heretofore set forth, had, used, ordained, or provided, or hereafter to be set forth, had, used, ordained, or provided; and notwithstanding any other Thing, Cause, or Matter whatsoever. We will also, &c. without Fine in the Hanaper Office, &c. so that express Mention, &c. in Testimony of which, &c. Witnesses, &c.

Thus having shewn the Reason for erecting this hereditary Honour, &c. I shall, in the next Place, give a List of all the Families that now enjoy it.



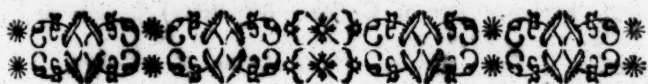
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An Alphabetical LIST of the present BARONETS, (exclusive of such as are Peers of Great Britain or Ireland) their most usual Places of Abode, with the Time, when they or their Ancestors were so honoured.

N. B. The Dates are according to the present Method of beginning the Year the first of January.

** * Where we have not been able to come at the Christian Name of the present BARONET, we have put that of the last deceased.*

ABDY, Anthony, Felix-Hall, Essex, July 7, 1641.

Abdy, John, Albyns, Essex, June 9, 1660.

Ackland, Thomas, Columb-John, Devonshire, June 24, 1744.

Acton, Richard, Aldenham, Shropshire, Jun. 7, 1644.

Adams, Robert, London, June 13, 1660.

Allin, Thomas, Sommerley-Town, Suffolk, December 14, 1699.

- Alston, Rowland, Odell, Bedfordshire, July 13, 1642.
 Alston, Evelyn, (late of Chelsea, Middlesex) January 20, 1682.
 Anderson, Francis, Penley, Hertfordshire, June 3, 1643.
 Anderson, Edmund, Kilnwick-Piercy, Yorkshire, Dec. 11, 1660.
 Anderson, Stephen, Eyeworth, Bedfordshire, July 13, 1664.
 Anderton, Francis, Lofstock, Lancashire, Oct. 8, 1677.
 Andrews, Francis, Denton, Northamptonshire, Dec. 11, 1641.
 Armitage, John, Kirklees, Yorkshire, July 4, 1738.
 Ashburnham, William, Bromham, Suffex, May 15, 1661.
 Asheton, Richard, Middleton, Lancashire, Aug. 17, 1660.
 Astley, Jacob, Melton-Constable, Norfolk, June 25, 1660.
 Astley, John, Patteshall, Staffordshire, Aug. 13, 1662.
 Aston, Willoughby, Wadley, Berkshire, July 25, 1628.
 Aubrey, John, Borstal, Buckinghamshire, July 23, 1660.
 Austen, Robert, Bexley, Kent, July 10, 1660.
 Austen, John, (late of Derhams, Middlesex) Nov. 16, 1714.
 Ayloffe, Joseph, Aston, Middlesex, Nov. 25, 1612.
 Bacon, Edmund, Garboldisham, Norfolk, May 22, 1611.
 Bacon, Edmund, Gillingham, Norfolk, July 29, 1627.
 Bagot, Walter-Wagstaffe, Blithfield, Staffordshire, May 30, 1627.
 Bampffield, Richard-Warwick, Poltimore, Devonshire, July 14, 1641.
 Barker, John-Fytch, Grimston-Hall, Suffolk, March 17, 1622.
 Barker, William, Ringsale-Hall, Suffolk, March 29, 1676.
 Barlow, George, Slebitch, Pembrokeeshire, July 13, 1677.
 Barnadiston, John, Ketton, Suffolk, April 7, 1663.
 Barrington, John, Swanseomber, Isle of Wight, June 29, 1611.
 Bathurst, Laurence, (late of Lechdale, Gloucestershire) Dec. 9, 1643.
 Beaumon, George, Cole-Orton, Leicestershire, Feb. 21, 1661.

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- Beck, Justus, London, Nov. 1, 1714.
 Beckwith, Roger, Aldborough, Yorkshire, April 15, 1681.
 Bedingfield, Henry-Arundel, Oxborough, Norfolk, Jan. 2, 1661.
 Bernard, John, Brampton, Huntingdonshire, July 1, 1662.
 Berney, Thomas, Kirby-Bedon, Norfolk, May 5, 1620.
 Betenson, Edward, (late of Wimbledon, Surry) Feb. 7, 1667.
 Bickley, Francis, Attleburgh, Norfolk, Sept. 2, 1661.
 Biddulph, Theophilus, Westcombe, Kent, Nov. 2, 1664.
 Bishopp, Cecil, Parham, Suffex, July 24, 1620.
 Blacket. See Calverley.
 Blacket, Edward, Hexham, Northumberland, Dec. 12, 1673.
 Blackwell, Lambert, Sprouston-Hall, Norfolk, July 16, 1718.
 Bland, Hungerford, Kippax-Park, Yorkshire, Aug. 30, 1642.
 Blois, Charles, Grunsburgh, Suffolk, April 15, 1686.
 Blount, Edward, Soddington, Worcestershire, Oct. 5, 1642.
 Blount, Henry-Pope, Tittenhanger, Hertfordshire, Jan. 27, 1680.
 Blount, Henry, London, June 17, 1720.
 Bond, Charles, —, Wales, —, 1658.
 Boothby, William, Broadlow-Ash, Derbyshire, July 13, 1660.
 Boteler, Philip, Teston, Kent, July 3, 1641.
 Boughton, Edward, Lawford, Warwickshire, August 4, 1641.
 Bowyer, William, Denham-Court, Buckinghamshire, June 25, 1660.
 Boynton, Griffith, Burton-Agnes, Yorkshire, May 25, 1618.
 Bradshaigh, Roger, Haigh, Lancashire, Nov. 17, 1679.
 Bridges, Brooke, Goodneston, Kent, April 19, 1718.
 Bridgman, Orlando, Lever, Lancashire, June 7, 1660.
 Bridgman, Francis, Ridley, Cheshire, Nov. 12, 1673.
 Briggs, Hugh, Hammer-smith, Middlesex, Aug. 12, 1641.

- Brooke, Richard, Norton, Cheshire, Dec. 12, 1662.
 Brooks, Job, Hammer-smith, Middlesex, June 13, 1676.
 Broughton-Delves, Brian, Broughton, Staffordshire, March 10, 1661.
 Brown, George, Kiddington, Oxfordshire, July 1, 1659.
 Brown, John, (late of Caversham, Oxfordshire), May 10, 1665.
 Brown, William, in Poland, Dec. 14, 1699.
 Brown, Robert, Edinburgh, Feb. 24, 1710.
 Browne, Robert, Westminster, March 11, 1732.
 Buck, Charles, Hamby-Grange, Lincolnshire, Dec. 22, 1660.
 Buckworth, John, Sheen, Surry, April 1, 1697.
 Bünbury, William, Stanny, Cheshire, June 29, 1681.
 Burdet, Robert, Bramcote, Warwickshire, Feb. 25, 1619.
 Burdet, Francis, Burthwaite, Yorkshire, July 25, 1665.
 Burgoyne, Roger, Sutton, Bedfordshire, July 15, 1641.
 Burton, Charles, Stockerton, Leicestershire, July 22, 1622.
 Cairnes, Henry, Monaghan, Ireland, May 6, 1708.
 Calverley-Blacket, Walter, Calverley, Yorkshire, Dec. 11, 1711.
 Cann, Robert, Compton-Green, Gloucestershire, Sept. 13, 1662.
 Carew, Coventry, Anthony, Cornwall, Aug. 9, 1641.
 Carew, Thomas, Haccomb, Devonshire, Aug. 2, 1661.
 Carew, Nicholas-Hacket, Beddington, Surry, Jan. 11, 1715.
 Castleton, Charles, Gillingham, Norfolk, Aug. 9, 1641.
 Cave, Thomas, Stamford, Nottinghamshire, June 30, 1641.
 Cayley, George, Brompton, Yorkshire, Aug. 26, 1661.
 Chamberlayne, James, Duns-Tew, Oxfordshire, Feb. 4, 1643.
 Chapman, John, Hertfordbury, Hertfordshire, June 27, 1720.
 Chârdin, John, Kempton-Park, Middlesex, May 28, 1720.
 Charlton, Francis, Ludford, Herefordshire, May 22, 1686.
 Chernock,

- Chernock, Roteler, Hulcot, Bedfordshire, May 21, 1686.
 Chester, John, Chickley, Buckinghamshire, March 23, 1623.
 Chetwode, Philip-Touchet, Oakley, Staffordshire, April 6, 1700.
 Chichester, John, Raleigh, Devonshire, Aug. 4, 1641.
 Child, Caesar, Woodford, Essex, Feb. 4, 1685.
 Chudleigh, John, Ashton, Devonshire, Aug. 1, 1622.
 Clarges, Thomas, Aston, Hertfordshire, Oct. 30, 1674.
 Clark, Robert, Snailwell, Cambridgeshire, July 29, 1698.
 Clarke, Simon, Jamaica, May 1, 1617.
 Clavering, James, Axwell, Durham, June 5, 1661.
 Clayton, Kenrick, Marden, Surrey, Jan. 13, 1732.
 Clerke, Talbot, Lawnde-Abby, Lincolnshire, June 18, 1661.
 Clifton, Robert, Clifton, Nottinghamshire, May 22, 1611.
 Cobb, Edward, Adderbury, Oxfordshire, Dec. 9, 1662.
 Cocks, Robert, Dumbleton, Gloucestershire, Feb. 7, 1662.
 Codrington, William, Dodington, Gloucestershire, April 21, 1721.
 Colebrooke, James, Gatton, Surrey, Oct. 12, 1759.
 Colleton, John, Exeter, Devonshire, Feb. 18, 1661.
 Colt, John-Dutton, Leominster, Herefordshire, March 2, 1693.
 Compton, William, Hartbury, Gloucestershire, May 6, 1686.
 Constable, Marmaduke, Everingham, Yorkshire, July 20, 1642.
 Conyers, Ralph, Chester-le-Street, Durham, July 14, 1628.
 Cooke, Brian, Wheatley, Yorkshire, May 10, 1661.
 Cope, John, Bramfel, Hampshire, June 29, 1611.
 Cope, Jonathan, Brewern, Oxfordshire, March 1, 1714.
 Corbet, William, Stoke, Shropshire, Sept. 19, 1627.
 Corbet, Richard, Leighton, Montgomeryshire, June 20, 1642.
 Cotton, John-Hynd, Madingley, Cambridgeshire, July 14, 1641.

- Cotton, Lynch-Salusbury, Cumbermere, Cheshire, March 29, 1677.
- Croft, Archer, Croft-Castle, Herefordshire, Nov. 18, 1671.
- Crosse, John, Westminster, July 11, 1713.
- Cullum, Jasper, Hastede, Suffolk, June 18, 1660.
- Cunliffe, Ellis, Liverpool, March 24, 1759.
- Curzon, Nathaniel, Kedleston, Derbyshire, Aug. 11, 1641.
- Curzon, Francis, Waterperry, Oxfordshire, April 30, 1661.
- Cust, John, Stamford, Lincolnshire, Sept. 29, 1677.
- Daeth, Thomas, Knowlton, Kent, July 16, 1716.
- Dalston, George, Heath-Hall, Yorkshire, Feb. 15, 1640.
- Danvers, Henry, Culworth, Northamptonshire, March 21, 1643.
- Danvers, John, Swithland, Leicestershire, July —, 1746.
- Dashwood, James, Northbrook, Oxfordshire, Sept. 16, 1684.
- Dashwood, Francis, West-Wicomb, Buckinghamshire, June 28, 1707.
- Davers, Jermyn, Rougham, Suffolk, May 12, 1682.
- Davie, John, Creedy, Devonshire, Sept. 9, 1641.
- Delves. See Broughton.
- Dering, Edward, Surrenden-Dering, Kent, Feb. 1, 1627.
- Dixie, Wolfston, Bosworth, Leicestershire, July 14, 1660.
- Dixwell, Basil, Broom, Kent, June 19, 1660.
- Dixwell, William, Coton, Warwickshire, June 11, 1716.
- Dolben, John, Finedon, Northamptonshire, April 1, 1704.
- Downing, Jacob-Garrard, Gamlingay, Cambridgeshire, July 1, 1663.
- D'Oyly, Edmund, Shottesham, Norfolk, July 29, 1663.
- D'Oyly, Thomas, Chislehampton, Oxfordshire, July 7, 1666.
- Drake, Francis-Henry, Buckland, Devonshire, August 2, 1622.
- Drury, Thomas, Overstone, Northamptonshire, Feb. 16, 1739.
- Dryden, John, Canons-Alby, Northamptonshire, Nov. 16, 1619.
- Duddleston, John, Bristol, Somersetshire, Jan. 11, 1692.
- Dudley,

- Dudley, William, Clapton, Northamptonshire, August 1,
1660.
Dukenfield, Charles, Dukenfield, Cheshire, June 16,
1665.
Dyer, John-Swynnerton, Spainshall, Essex, July 6, 1678.
Dyke, Thomas, Horeham, Suffex, March 3, 1677.
Eden, Robert, West-Aukland, Durham, Nov. 13, 1672.
Edwards, Henry, Shrewsbury, Shropshire, April 22, 1678.
Edwards, James, Walton, Surry, Dec. 7, 1691.
Egerton, Thomas-Grey, Egerton, Cheshire, April 5, 1617.
Elton, Abraham, Bristol, Somersetshire, Oct. 3, 1717.
Elwes, Harvey, Stoke, Suffolk, June 22, 1660.
Elwill, John, Egham, Surry, Aug. 25, 1709.
Englefield, Henry, White-Nights, Berkshire, Nov. 25,
1612.
Ernle, Michael, Brimslade, Wiltshire, Feb. 2, 1661.
Evelyn, John, Wotton, Surry, Aug. 6, 1713.
Everard, Richard, Bromfield-Green, Essex, Jan. 29, 1629.
Every, Thomas, Eggington, Derbyshire, May 26, 1640.
Eversfield, Charles, Grove, Suffex, May 4, 1725.
Eyles-Styles, Benjamin-Haskin, Dec. 1, 1714.
Fagg, William, Mytote, Kent, Dec. 11, 1660.
Farnaby, Thomas-Kippington, Kent, July 21, 1726.
Fetherston, Henry, Blackeswere, Hertfordshire, Dec. 4,
1660.
Fetherstonhaugh, Matthew, —, Northumberland, Jan. 3,
1747.
Fierbrace, Cordel, Long-Melford, Suffolk, July 28, 1698.
Filmer, Edward, East-Sutton, Kent, Dec. 26, 1674.
Fleetwood, John, Martin-Sands, Cheshire, June 29, 1611.
Fleming, William, Rydal, Westmoreland, Oct. 4, 1705.
Fludyer, Samuel, London, Nov. 13, 1759.
Fowles, William, Ingelby, Yorkshire, Feb. 6, 1620.
Fowler, William, Harnage-Grange, Shropshire, Nov. 1,
1704.
Frankland, Thomas, Thirkelby, Yorkshire, Dec. 24,
1660.
Frederick, John, Hampton, Middlesex, June 10, 1723.
Freke,

- Freke, John, West-Bilney, Norfolk, June 4, 1713.
 Fuft, Francis, Hill, Gloucestershire, Aug. 21, 1662.
 Gage, William, Hengrave, Suffolk, July 15, 1662.
 Gardiner, William, Roche-Court, Hampshire, Dec. 4, 1660.
 Garrard, Samuel, Lamer, Hertfordshire, Feb. 16, 1662.
 Gerrard, William, Bryn, Lancashire, May 22, 1611.
 Gideon, Sampson, Spalding, Kent, May 19, 1759.
 Gibbons, William, Jamaica, April —, 1752.
 Glean, Peter, Hardwick, Norfolk, March 6, 1666.
 Glyn, Richard, London, Sept. 25, 1759.
 Glynne, John, Broadlane, Flintshire, May 20, 1661.
 Gooch, William, Nov. 4, 1746.
 Goodrick, John, Ribston, Yorkshire, August 14, 1641.
 Goring, Charles-Matthews, Highden, Suffex, July 23, 1627.
 Gostwick, William, Willington, Bedfordshire, Nov. 25, 1612.
 Gough, Henry, Edgbaston, Warwickshire, March 29, 1728.
 Graham, Bellingham, Noston-Conyers, Yorkshire, Nov. 17, 1662.
 Gresley, Thomas, Drakelow, Derbyshire, June 23, 1611.
 Gresham, Matmaduke, Limpsfield, Suffex, July 31, 1660.
 Grey, Henry, Howick, Northumberland, Jan. —, 1746.
 Grosvenor, Robert, Eaton, Cheshire, Feb. 23, 1622.
 Guise, John, Elmore, Gloucestershire, July 10, 1661.
 Guldeford, Robert, Hemsted-Place, Kent, Feb. 4, 1686.
 Haggerston, Carnaby, Haggerston, Northumberland, Aug. 15, 1643.
 Hales, John, Woodchurch, Kent, June 29, 1611.
 Hales, Thomas, Beaksburne, Kent, July 22, 1660.
 Hales, Christopher, Lincoln, Aug. 12, 1660.
 Halford, William, Wistow, Leicestershire, Dec. 18, 1641.
 Halton, William, Turnham-Green, Middlesex, Sept. 10, 1642.
 Hampson, George, Taplow, Buckinghamshire, June 3, 1642.
 Hanham, William, Winbourn, Dorsetshire, May 24, 1667.
 Hanmer,

- Hanner, Thomas, Hanmer, Flintshire, July 8, 1620.
 Harbord, William-Morden, Harbord, Norfolk, March —,
 1746.
 Hardtes, William, Hardres, Kent, June 3, 1642.
 Hare, George, Stow-Bardolph, Norfolk, July 23, 1641.
 Harpur, Henry, Calke, Derbyshire, Sept. 1, 1626.
 Hartop, John, Freathby, Leicestershire, Dec. 3, 1619.
 Hatton, Thomas, Long-Stanton, Cambridgeshire, July 5,
 1641.
 Head, Francis, Hermitage, Kent, June 9, 1676.
 Heathcote, John, Normanton, Rutlandshire, Jan. 17,
 1733.
 Heathcote, William, Hursley, Hampshire, Aug. 16, 1733.
 Heron, Harry, Chipchale, Northumberland, Nov. 20,
 1662.
 Heslridge, Arthur, Nofely, Leicestershire, July 21, 1619.
 Hewet, William, Headly, Yorkshire, Oct. 11, 1621.
 Heyman, Bartholomew, (Poor Knight at Windsor) Aug.
 12, 1641.
 Hickman, Nevil-George, Gainsborough, Lincolnshire, Nov.
 16, 1643.
 Hicks, Harry, Beverston, Gloucestershire, July 21, 1619.
 Hildyard, Robert, Patrington, Yorkshire, June 23, 1660.
 Hill, Rowland, Hawkstone, Shropshire, Jan. 20, 1627.
 Hoby, Thomas, Bisham, Berkshire, June 12, 1666.
 Hoghton, Henry, Hoghton, Lancashire, May 22, 1611.
 Holte, Lister, Alston, Warwickshire, Nov. 25, 1612.
 Honeywood, John, Beington, Kent, July 19, 1660.
 Hoskyns, Hungerford, Harwood, Hertfordshire, Dec. 18,
 1676.
 Hotham, Charles, Beverley, Yorkshire, Jan. 4, 1622.
 Hulse, Edward, Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, Feb. 7, 1739.
 Humble, William, Thorp-Underwood, Northamptonshire,
 June 21, 1660.
 Hungate, Charles, Saxton, Yorkshire, Aug. 15, 1642.
 Hunlocke, Henry, Wingerworth, Derbyshire, Feb. 28,
 1643.

Jacob,

- Jacob, Hildebrand, West-Wrattin, Cambridgeshire, Jan. 11, 1665.
- Janßen, Abraham, Wimbledon, Surry, March 11, 1715.
- Ibbetson, Henry, Leeds, Yorkshire, May 12, 1748.
- Jenkinson, Robert, Walcot, Oxfordshire, May 18, 1661.
- Jenoure, Richard, Much-Dunmore, Essex, July 30, 1628.
- Jernegan, George, Cossy-Hall, Norfolk, Oct. 16, 1621.
- Ingleby, John, Ripley, Yorkshire, May 17, 1642.
- Jocelyn, Conyers, Hyde-Hall, Hertfordshire, June 8, 1665.
- Johnson, William, New-York, America, Nov. 18, 1755.
- Irby, William, Boston, Lincolnshire, April 13, 1704.
- Isham, Edmund, Lampion, Northamptonshire, May 30, 1627.
- Kaye, John, Woodsam, Yorkshire, Feb. 4, 1642.
- Keate, Henry-Hoo, Hoo, Hertfordshire, June 12, 1660.
- Kemp, Robert, Ubbeston, Suffolk, March 14, 1642.
- Keyt, Thomas-Charles, Ebrington, Gloucestershire, Dec. 22, 1660.
- Knatchbull. See Wyndham.
- Knollys, Francis, Thame, Oxfordshire, April —, 1754.
- Lade, John, Warbleton, Sussex, March 14, 1759.
- Lake, Atwell, Edmonton, Middlesex, Oct. 17, 1711.
- Lamb, Matthew, Brocket-Hall, Hertfordshire, Jan. 4, 1755.
- Lambert, John, Paris, Feb. 6, 1711.
- Langham, John, Cottesbroke, Northamptonshire, June 7, 1660.
- Langley, Thomas, Higham-Gobion, Bedfordshire, May 29, 1641.
- Lawley, Robert, Spoonhill, Shropshire, Aug. 16, 1641.
- Lawson, Henry, Brough-Hall, Yorkshire, July 6, 1665.
- Lawson, Mordaunt, Isell, Cumberland, Mar. 31, 1688.
- Lee, William, Hartwell, Buckinghamshire, Aug. 16, 1660.
- Legard, Digby, Ganton, Yorkshire, Dec. 29, 1660.
- Leioester, Peter, Tabley, Cheshire, Aug. 10, 1660.
- Leighton, Edward, Watlesborough, Shropshire, March 2, 1693.

Leman,

- Leman, Tanfield, (late of Northaw, Hertfordshire) March 3, 1665.
- Lestrange, Henry, Hustanton, Norfolk, June 1, 1629.
- Littleton, Edward, Pillaton-Hall, Staffordshire, June 21, 1627.
- Lloyd, Charles, Garth, Montgomeryshire, May 10, 1661.
- Lloyd, Lucius-Christianus, Milfield, Cardiganshire, April 1, 1708.
- Long, Robert, Draycot, Wiltshire, Sept. 1, 1662.
- Loraine, William, Kirkhasle, Northumberland, Sept. 26, 1664.
- Lowther, James, Whitehaven, Cumberland, June 11, 1642.
- Lowther, Thomas, Maske, Yorkshire, June 15, 1697.
- Lowther, William, Swillington, Yorkshire, Jan. 6, 1715.
- Lucy, Berkley, Netley, Hampshire, Mar. 11, 1618.
- Lumley, James, Bradfield, Essex, Jan. 8, 1630.
- Mackworth, Thomas, Normanton, Rutlandshire, June 4, 1619.
- Mann, Horatio, — —, Feb. 15, 1755, with Limitation to his Brother Galfridus.
- Mainwaring, Henry, Over-Peover, Cheshire, Nov. 22, 1660.
- Mannock, Francis, Gifford's-Hall, Suffolk, June 1, 1627.
- Manfell, Edward-Vaughan, Trinfaran, Carmarthenshire, Feb. 12, 1697.
- Manfell, Richard, Isohod, Carmarthenshire, Jan. 24, 1621.
- Markham, James-John, Sedgbroke, Nottinghamshire, Aug. 15, 1642.
- Martin, Roger, Long-Melford, Suffolk, Mar. 28, 1667.
- Maynard, William, Walthamstow, Essex, Feb. 1682.
- Middleton, Lambert, Belfay-Castle, Northumberland, Oct. 24, 1662.
- Middleton, Hugh, — —, Dec. 6, 1681.
- Milbanke, Ralph, Halnaby, Yorkshire, Aug. 7, 1661.
- Mill, Richard, Woolbeding, Sussex, Dec. 31, 1619.
- Miller, John, Chichester, Sussex, Oct. 29, 1705.
- Milner,

- Milner, William, Nun-Appleton, Yorkshire, Feb. 28, 1717.
- Mitchel, Andrew, West-Shore, Scotland, June 19, 1744.
- Molesworth, John, Penicarrow, Cornwall, July 19, 1839.
- Molineux, Francis, Traversal, Nottinghamshire, June 29, 1611.
- Monnoux, Humphry, Wotton, Bedfordshire, Dec. 4, 1660.
- Moore, John, Fawley, Berkshire, May 21, 1627.
- Mordaunt, Charles, Walton, Warwickshire, June 29, 1611.
- More, William, More-Hall, Lancashire, Nov. 22, 1665.
- Morgan, John, Langattock, Monmouthshire, Feb. 7, 1661.
- Morrice, Humphry, Werrington, Devonshire, April 20, 1661.
- Mosely, Oswald, Rolleston, Staffordshire, June 28, 1720.
- Mostyn, Thomas, Mostyn, Flintshire, Aug. 3, 1660.
- Mostyn, George, Talacre, Flintshire, April 28, 1678.
- Musgrave, Philip, Hartley-Castle, Westmoreland, June 29, 1611.
- Napier, John, Luton-Hoo, Bedfordshire, Sept. 24, 1611.
- Napier, Gerard, More-Critchill, Dorsetshire, June 15, 1641.
- Napier, Charles, Sowdley-House, Buckinghamshire, Feb. 25, 1682.
- Nelthorpe, Henry, ———, May 10, 1666.
- Newdigate, Roger, Arbury, Warwickshire, July 24, 1677.
- Newman, Samuel, Fishhead, Dorsetshire, Dec. 20, 1699.
- Northcote, Henry, Hayne, Devonshire, July 16, 1641.
- Oglander, John, Nunwell, Isle of Wight, Dec. 12, 1665.
- O'Neil, Henry, Dublin, Nov. 13, 1643.
- Osbaldeston, Charles, Chadlington, Oxfordshire, June 25, 1664.
- Osborne, Danvers, Chicklands, Bedfordshire, Feb. 11, 1662.
- Owen, Arthur, Oriulton, Pembrokeshire, Aug. 11, 1641.
- Oxenden, George, Depe, Kent, May 2, 1678.
- Packington,

- Packington, John, Westwood, Worcestershire, June 22,
1620.
- Page, Gregory, Blackheath, Kent, Dec. 3, 1754.
- Palmer, Charles, Dorney-Court, Buckinghamshire, June
29, 1621.
- Palmer, Thomas, Carleton, Northamptonshire, June 7,
1660.
- Parker, Walter, Ratton, Sussex, May 12, 1674.
- Parker, Henry-John, Stratford upon Avon, Warwickshire,
July 1, 1681.
- Parkyns, Thomas, Bunny, Nottinghamshire, May 18,
1681.
- Parsons, William, Nottingham, April 9, 1661.
- Payne, Charles, St. Christopher's, West-Indies, Oct. 31,
1737.
- Peachy, John, Petworth, Sussex, March 21, 1737.
- Pennington, Joseph, Muncafter, Cumberland, June 21,
1676.
- Pennyman, James, Ormesby, Yorkshire, Feb. 22, 1664.
- Pepperell, William, New-England, Aug. —, 1745.
- Pettus, John, Rackheath, Norfolk, Sept. 23, 1741.
- Peyton, Charles, Ilcham, Cambridgeshire, May 22, 1751.
- Peyton, Thomas, Dodington, Cambridgeshire, March 21,
1667.
- Philips, John, Picton-Castle, Pembrokeshire, Nov. 9,
1621.
- Pile, Seymour, Axford, Wiltshire, Sept. 12, 1628.
- Playters, John, Sotterly, Suffolk, Aug. 13, 1623.
- Pleydell, Mark-Stuart, Colehill, Berkshire, June 18,
1733.
- Pole, John, Shute, Devonshire, Sept. 12, 1628.
- Poolg, Francis, Lewes, Sussex, Oct. 25, 1677.
- Powel, Christopher, Wyerton, Kent, May 10, 1661.
- Prideaux, John, Netherton, Devonshire, July 17, 1628.
- Proctor, William-Beauchamp, Tottenham, Middlesex, Feb.
—, 1745.
- Pryce, John, Newton, Montgomeryshire, Aug. 15, 1628.
- Rynfant, William, Erthfont, Wiltshire, Sept. 13, 1687.
- Ramsden,

- Ramfden, John, Byram, Yorkshire, Feb. 13, 1690.
 Read, John, Shipton, Oxfordshire, March 4, 1661.
 Reresby, Leonard, Thriberg, Yorkshire, May 16, 1642.
 Rich, William, Sunning, Berkshire, Mar. 20, 1661.
 Rich, Robert, Stondon, Essex, Jan. 24, 1676.
 Richards, Philip, in Spain, Feb. 12, 1684.
 Rivers, Peter, Chafford, Kent, July 10, 1621.
 Roberts, Walter, Glastonbury, Kent, July 3, 1620.
 Robinson, John, Cranford, Northamptonshire, June 22, 1660.
 Robinson, Thomas, Dereham, Norfolk, Jan. 26, 1682.
 Robinson, William, Newby, Yorkshire, Nov. 30, 1690.
 Robinson, Thomas, Rookby, Yorkshire, Nov. 30, 1690.
 Rodes, John, Barlborough, Derbyshire, Aug. 14, 1641.
 Rogers, John, Widdome, Devonshire, Feb. 21, 1699.
 Rous, John, Henham-Hall, Suffolk, Aug. 17, 1660.
 Rushout, John, Northwick, Worcestershire, June 17, 1661.
 Ruffel, William, (late of Chippenham, Cambridgeshire) Jan. 19, 1629.
 St. Aubin, John, Clowance, Cornwall, Dec. 11, 1671.
 St. John, Francis, Longthorpe, Northamptonshire, Sept. 10, 1715.
 St. Quintin, William, Harpham, Yorkshire, Mar. 8, 1642.
 Sambroke, Jeremy, Gubbins, Hertfordshire, Jan. 30, 1701.
 Samwell, Thomas, Upton, Northamptonshire, Dec. 22, 1675.
 Sanderfon, William, Greenwich, Kent, July 19, 1720.
 Savile, George, Rufford, Nottinghamshire, June 29, 1611.
 Scot, William, (late of Kew-Green, Surry) August 9, 1653.
 Seabright, Thomas, Beachwood, Hertfordshire, Dec. 20, 1726.
 Shaw, John, Eldham, Kent, April 15, 1665.
 Sheffield, Charles, Normanby, Lincolnshire, February 15, 1755.
 Shelly, John, Michel-Orove, Sussex, May 22, 1611.
 Sherard,

- Sherard, Brownlow, Lophthorpe, Lincolnshire, May 25, 1674.
Shuckburgh, Stukely, Shuckburgh, Warwickshire, June 26, 1660.
Sidley, Charles, Great-Chart, Kent, Sept. 14, 1621.
Sidley, Charles, Nuthall, Nottinghamshire, July 10, 1702.
Simeon, Edward, Aston, Staffordshire, Oct. 18, 1677.
Skipwith, Grey, Virginia, Dec. 20, 1622.
Skipwith, Francis, Newbold-Hall, Warwickshire, Oct. 25, 1670.
Skipwith, George-Bridges, Methringham, Lincolnshire, July 27, 1678.
Smith, John, Isleworth, Middlesex, April 20, 1694.
Smith, George, Nottingham, and East-Stoke in that County, Oct. 29, 1757.
Smythe, Edward, Langley, Shropshire, Feb. 23, 1661.
Smyth, William, Warden, Bedfordshire, May 10, 1661.
Smyth, Edward, Hill-Hall, Essex, Nov. 28, 1661.
Smyth, Trafford, Upton, Essex, March 30, 1665.
Smyth, Robert, Isfield, Sussex, Dec. 2, 1714.
Soame, Peter, Heydon, Essex, Feb. 5, 1685.
Spencer, Charles, Yarnton, Oxfordshire, June 29, 1611.
Spring, John, Pakenham, Suffolk, Aug. 11, 1641.
Standish, Thomas, Duxbury, Lancashire, Feb. 8, 1677.
Stanley, Thomas-Ward, Alderley, Cheshire, June 25, 1660.
Stanley, Rowland, Hooton, Cheshire, June 27, 1661.
Stanley, John, Grange-Gorman, Ireland, April 14, 1699.
Stapleton, Thomas, Bray, Buckinghamshire, Dec. 20, 1679.
Stapylton, Miles, Myton, Yorkshire, June 22, 1660.
Stepney, Thomas, Prendergast, Pembrokeshire, Nov. 24, 1621.
Stonhouse, John, Radley, Berkshire, May 7, 1628.
Strickland, George, Boynton, Yorkshire, July 30, 1641.
Stuart, Simeon, Hartley-Mauduit, Hampshire, June 27, 1660.
Style, Thomas, Watlington, Kent, April 21, 1627.
Styles,

Styles. See Eyles.

Swynburne, John, Chapheaton, Northumberland, Sept. 26, 1660.

Tancred, Thomas, Boroughbridge, Yorkshire, Nov. 17, 1662.

Tempest, Nicholas, Stanley, Durham, Dec. 23, 1622.

Tempest, George, Tong, Yorkshire, May 25, 1664.

Thomas, Edmund, Wenvoe, Glamorganshire, Dec. 24, 1694.

Thornicroft, John, Milcombe, Oxfordshire, Aug. 12, 1701.

Thorold, John, Cranwell, Lincolnshire, Aug. 24, 1642.

Thorold, Nathaniel, Harmeston, Lincolnshire, Sept. 9, 1709.

Throckmorton, Robert, Coughton, Warwickshire, Sept. 1, 1642.

Tichborne, Henry-Joseph, Tichborne, Hampshire, Mar. 8, 1621.

Tirrel, John, Springfield, Essex, Oct. 22, 1666.

Trelawney, John, Trelawney, Cornwall, July 1, 1628.

Trevelyan, John, Nettlecomb, Somersetshire, Jan. 24, 1662.

Trollope, Thomas, Casewick, Lincolnshire, Feb. 5, 1642.

Turner, John, Warham, Norfolk, April 21, 1727.

Turner, Edward, Ambrolden, Oxfordshire, Aug. 24, 1733.

Twisden, William, East-Peckham, Kent, June 29, 1611.

Twisden, Roger, Bradburne, Kent, June 23, 1666.

Tynte, Charles-Kemys, Halfewell, Somersetshire, Jan. 7, 1674.

Tyrrel, Charles, Thornton, Buckinghamshire, Oct. 31, 1627.

Tyrwhit, John-de-la-Fountain, Stanfield, Lincolnshire, June 29, 1611.

Vandeput, George, Standinch, Wiltshire, Nov. 7, 1727.

Van Neck, Joshua, Putney, Surry, Dec. 7, 1715.

Vavasor, Walter, Haslewood, Yorkshire, Oct. 24, 1628.

Vincent, Francis, Stoke-Dabernon, Surry, July 26, 1620.

Vyvyan, Richard, Treloarren, Cornwall, Feb. 12, 1645.

Wake,

- Wake, Baldwyn, Courteenhall, Northamptonshire, Dec. 5,
1621.
- Warburton, Peter, Arley, Cheshire, June 27, 1660.
- Ward, Edward, Bexley, Norfolk, Dec. 19, 1660.
- Warrenden, John, Lochend, Scotland, June 2, 1715.
- Wastneys, Hardolph, Headon, Nottinghamshire, Dec. 18,
1622.
- Watson, Charles, ———, March 22, 1760.
- Webb, John, Odstock, Wiltshire, April 2, 1644.
- Webster, Whistler, Battle-Abby, Suffex, May 21, 1703.
- Wentworth, William, Bretton, Yorkshire, Sept. 27,
1664.
- Werden, John, Leyland, Lancashire, Nov. 28, 1672.
- Wescome, Anthony, ———, March 19, 1700.
- Wheate, Thomas, Glympton, Oxfordshire, May 9, 1696.
- Wheeler, William, Leamington, Warwickshire, August 11,
1660.
- Whickcote, Francis, Aswarby, Lincolnshire, April 2,
1660.
- White, Matthew, Blagon, Northumberland, May 1, 1756,
and in Default of Issue to the Heirs Male of Elizabeth
his Sister, the Wife of Matthew Ridley, of Heaton in
that County.
- Williams, Leonard, Langibby, Monmouthshire, May 14,
1642.
- Williams, Gilbert, Godlingtons, Hertfordshire, May 4,
1644.
- Williams, Robert, Penhryn, Carnarvonshire, June 17,
1661.
- Williams, Edward, Guernet, Brecknockshire, Nov. 2,
1674.
- Williams-Wyane, Watkins, Winstay, Denbighshire, July
6, 1688.
- Williams, Nicholas, Edwinstford, Carmarthenshire, July
30, 1707.
- Williams, Hutchins, Chichester, Suffex, April 4, 1747.
- Williamson, William, Monkweremouth, Durham, June
3, 1642.
- Vol. III, B b Wilmot,

- Wilmot, Edward, Chaddefdon, Derbyshire, Feb. 17, 1759.
 Wilson, Edward, East-Bourne, Suffex, March 4, 1661.
 Winford, Thomas-Cookes, Glashampton, Worcestershire,
 July 3, 1702.
 Winnington, Edward, Stanford-Court, Worcestershire, Feb.
 15, 1755.
 Wiseman, Charles, Canfield-Hall, Essex, Aug. 29, 1628.
 Wittewrong, John, (abroad) May 2, 1662.
 Wodehouse, John, Kimberley, Norfolk, June 29, 1611.
 Wolfeley, William, Wolfeley, Staffordshire, Nov. 24,
 1628.
 Wolfely, Richard, Ireland, Jan. —, 1745.
 Wolfenholme, Francis, (late of Enfield, Middlesex) Jan.
 10, 1665.
 Woolaston, Isaac - Lawrence, St. Ives, Huntingdonshire,
 Feb. —, 1749.
 Worsley, Robert, Appledurcomb, Hampshire, June 29,
 1611.
 Wray, Cecil, Sleningsford, Yorkshire, Nov. 25, 1612.
 Wrey, Bouchier, Tawstock, Devonshire, June 30, 1628.
 Wrottesley, Richard, Wrottesley, Staffordshire, August 30,
 1642.
 Wyche, Cyril, Duchy of Holstein, Dec. 20, 1729.
 Wyndham-Knatchbull, Wyndham, Merfham-Hatch, Kent,
 August 4, 1641.
 Wynne. See Williams.
 Wynne, Rowland, Nostel, Yorkshire, Dec. 3, 1660.
 Wynne, George, Lees-Wood, Flintshire, July 16, 1731.
 Wynne, Thomas, Bodvin, Carnarvonshire, Oct. —, 1742.
 Wyvill, Marmaduke, Constable-Buton, Yorkshire, Nov.
 25, 1612.
 Yea, William, Pyrland, Somersetshire, June 16, 1759.
 Yeamans, John, Barbadoes, Jan. 12, 1665.
 Yonge, William, Culliton, Devonshire, Sept. 26, 1661.

BARONETS OF NOVA-SCOTIA, resident in England.

Gascoigne, Edward, Barnbow, Yorkshire, created by
K. Charles I.

Longueville, Thomas, Prestatyn, Flintshire, —, 1638.

Meredith, William, Henbury, Cheshire, Jan. 2, 1640.

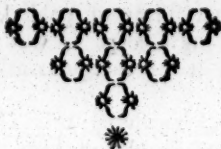
Musgrave, Richard, Hayton-Castle, Cumberland, Oct. 20,
1638.

Pickering, Edward, Titchmarsh, Northamptonshire.

Pilkington, Lionel, Stainley, Yorkshire, June 29, 1635.

Slingby, Henry, Scriven, Yorkshire.

Besides the above, there are several to whom the Dignity of Baronet has been granted, but neither they nor their Successors have taken out their Patents, as Sir William Courtney of Powderham in Devonshire, and others; which are therefore not included in this List.





K N I G H T S

OF THE

B A T H.

THE Order of the Bath, so called from their Bathing used before they were created, was first instituted at the Coronation of King Henry 4, Anno 1339, when he made Forty-six that were bathed in the Tower; and since that Time it has been customary for Kings and Queens to create Knights at their Coronation, Marriages, Births of Princes, or any other Time of publick Rejoicing. Therefore his Majesty King George 1, was pleased to re-establish the same, and erect it into a regular military Order for ever, as follows:

The Person, whilst receiving this Honour, kneels before the King, who, after knighting him, puts a red Ribbon over his right Shoulder, and so athwart his Breast and Back, under his left Arm, appendant whereto is the Badge or Symbol of the Order, (being a Sceptre, Rose, Thistle, and three Imperial Crowns, conjoined within a Circle, all of pure Gold, and upon the Circle this Motto, *Tria juncta in uno*, as in the Cut is exactly delineated, and are daily worn by each Knight Companion) and while the said

Knight

Knight is kneeling, Garter King of Arms administers the Oath.

On the 27th of May, 1725, there were created thirty-five Knights of this Most Honourable Order, and the Day following two more, who were all installed at Westminster on Thursday the 17th of June ensuing; the Procession and Ceremonies being in the following Manner:

The Knights being met at the Prince's Chamber, near the House of Lords, and apparelled in their Surcoats of red Taffata, lined with white, girt about with a white Girdle, without any Ornament thereon, and in Mantles the same as the Surcoat, made fast about the Neck with a Cordon of Lace of white Silk, tasselled of the same and Gold, having a Pair of white Gloves hanging at the Knot in the Middle, and their Mantles adorned on the left Shoulder with the Ensign of the Order, being Azure, three Imperial Crowns, Or, invironed with a red Circle, edged and embellished with the Motto in Letters of Gold; all upon a Star of eight Points, Silver, (which is also daily worn on the upper Garment of each Knight) they about ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, each with three Esquires attending him, proceeded in a most solemn Manner, from the said Prince's Chamber (their Chapter-Room) to the West Door of the Abbey-Church of Westminster, through St. Margaret's Church-Yard, by a Passage railed in, floored with Boards, and covered with Cloth, in the following Method:

The Drums of his Majesty's Household, the Drum-Major attending.

A Kettle-Drum, and his Majesty's Trumpets, the Sergeant-Trumpeter attending.

Twelve Alms-Men of the Church of Westminster, going two and two in their Gowns, having three Imperial Crowns embroidered upon that Part which covered their right Shoulders.

The Messenger of the Order, in a Surcoat of white Silk, lined with red, having on a Hood of the same thereto affixed, and upon his right Shoulder the plain Escutcheon of the Order, Azure, three Imperial Crowns, Or.

The Esquires of the Knights Companions, in the like Surcoats, and red Stockings, going three and three, those of the Knights in the lowest Stalls foremost, according to their Courses.

The twelve Prebendaries of the Church of Westminster, proceeding two and two in white Mantles lined with red, having the like Badge on their right Shoulders.

The Pursuivants of Arms in their Tabarts; the Heralds in Tabarts and Collars; the Provincial Kings of Arms in Tabarts and Collars, and with their Badges.

Then the Knights Companions, all habited in their Surcoats and Mantles, and each carrying in his Hand a white Hat adorned with a Plume of white Feathers; the Proxies only carrying the Mantles of their Principals upon their right Arms, going by Pairs, those in the lowest Stalls foremost:

Sir George Saunders, Proxy for the Duke of Richmond, (lately recovered from the Sickness of the Small-Pox) going single; his Grace having had the Honour of Knighthood conferred on him by the Great Master, at the Sovereign's Command.

Edward Younge, Esq; Register of the Order, habited in a Mantle like to that of the Prebendaries, having under it a Surcoat like to that of the Esquires, and on his Breast, hanging to a Gold Chain, an Escutcheon enamelled, on a Field Azure, three Imperial Crowns Or, the Arms of the Order, having in the Center the Representation of a Book bound Gules, the Leaves Or, and carrying the Statutes of the Order, covered with red Velvet, with the Arms of the Order embossed thereon with Gold; having on his right Hand Edward Montagu, Esq; Secretary of the Order, in the like Mantle and Surcoat, wearing in like Manner his Escutcheon, being enamelled with the Arms of the Order, having in the Center two Pens placed Saltirewise; and on his left Hand Edmund Sawyer, Esq; the Gentleman-Usher of the Order, in the like Mantle and Surcoat, and having at a Gold Chain an Escutcheon enamelled with the Arms of the Order hanging on his Breast, and carrying in his right Hand a scarlet Rod, surmounted with three Imperial Crowns;

Crowns ; all three of them carrying their red Caps or Bonnets in their Hands.

John Anstis, Esq; Garter Principal King of Arms, in his Tabart over a white Surcoat, and with his Collar, and the Badge of his Office upon his Breast, hanging to a Golden Chain, with his Hat in his Hand, having on his right Hand John Anstis, junior, the Genealogist of the Order, habited in a Mantle and Surcoat like the other Officers, and wearing, pendant to a Gold Chain, an Escutcheon enamelled with the Arms of the Order, with the Letter G in Cypher in the Center ; and on his left Hand Grey Longueville, Esq; Bath King at Arms, in the like Mantle and Surcoat, having on his Breast, hanging to a Gold Chain about his Neck, the Escutcheon of the Arms of the Order empaled with those of the Sovereign, surmounted with an Imperial Crown, and carrying a white Rod or Scepter in his right Hand, the two latter having their red Caps, or Bonnets, in their Hands.

The Right Rev. Dr. Sam. Bradford, Lord Bishop of Rochester, Dean of Westminster, and Dean of this Order, in his Mantle and Surcoat, like the Companions, and with the Badge of the Order pendant to a red Ribbon, carrying the Forms of the Oaths and Admonitions to be given to the Knights and Proxies, fairly engrossed on Vellum.

The Great Master in his Habit, and with the Collar of the Order, composed of Imperial Crowns and Knots, with Roses, Thistles, and Scepters, conjoined by Links, weighing 30 Ounces Troy, having the Badge or Symbol, as before described, appendant thereto, which are all of pure Gold ; his Grace wearing at the same Time a white Hat, adorned with a Plume of white Feathers, all exactly represented in the Cut.

Sir Andrew Fountaine, Proxy for Prince William, went also covered with his Hat in this Procession, carrying the Mantle upon his right Arm.

In this Form they proceeded to the Chapel of King Henry 7, at the East End of the Abbey of Westminster.

The twelve Alms-Men there entered two and two, and coming to the Middle of the Choir, did altogether make their low Reverence to the Altar, and turning about, made their Obeisances to the Sovereign's Stall, and dividing themselves, stood in a Row on each Side, down from the Rails of the Altar.

The Messenger of the Order paid his Obeisances in like Manner, and stood below the Alms-Men.

The Esquires having made a short Stand at the Door, while the Alms-Men and Messenger thus placed themselves, entered three and three, and being in a Body, made the like Reverences together in the Middle of the Choir, and stood before their respective Seats, which were underneath the Stalls of their Knights.

The Prebendaries of the Church of Westminster, two and two in the same Manner, placing themselves within the Rails of the Altar to assist at Divine Service.

The Pursuivants, Heralds, and the Provincial Kings of Arms likewise entered, and were permitted to stand before the Forms under Prince William's Stall, who had Commands given them by the Great Master to take especial Care to shew the Knights their respective Banners upon their Entries.

The two Knights in the lowest Stalls entered, and passing up near to their Banners, made their double Reverences together in the Middle of the Choir, and then retired under their Banners.

Who being thus placed, all the other Knights and Proxies, by Pairs, or singly, according to the Method observed in the Procession, took their Stations under their Banners, with the like Cereemonies.

Then the Register, in Breast with the Secretary and Gentleman-Usher, in the same Method, who stood before their Bench at the Foot of the Sovereign's Stall.

Garter, the Genealogist, and Bath King of Arms, did the same, and stood before their Bench.

The Dean in like Manner stood before his Chair.

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The Great Master entered singly with the like Obeisances, and retired under his Banner.

The Proxy of Prince William entered alone in the like Manner.

Prince William, who by the Statutes is declared to be the First and Principal Companion of this Order, and to be placed next to the Sovereign, at this Time came into the Chapel in Person, and the Sovereign having been pleased, in Regard to the Tenderness of his Age, to dispense with his Observance of all the Rites of this Order, that might give him any Fatigue; he therefore immediately ascended into his Stall, being invested in his Mantle and Collar, and sat down there covered.

Bath King of Arms then made his Reverences in the Middle of the Choir, and turned himself to the Great Master, who, making his double Reverences in the Choir, took his Stall, and there repeated his Obeisances, and sat down covered with his white Hat.

Then the Proxy of the Duke of Richmond ascended into the Stall of his Principal in like Manner, and stood there uncovered, holding the Mantle upon his right Arm.

Then Bath turned himself to the two Knights in the next Stalls, who, at the same Instant, made the like Obeisances below, and repeated them in their Stalls, and sat down uncovered.

In like Manner, the Residue of the Companions and Proxies, having waited the Seating of those in the upper Stalls, in their Courses, took their respective Stalls by Pairs.

Which being done, the Esquires, having made their Reverences in a Body, retired to their Seats; after them the Officers of Arms, and the Officers of the Order, placed themselves on their Forms with the like Ceremonies. The Provincial King of Arms, and the Heralds, according to a Request made to the Great Master, were allowed to sit on Benches in this present Ceremony, placed at the Foot of Prince William's Stall, the Pursuivants standing before them.

Bath,

Bath and the Gentleman-Usher then arose, made their Reverences in the Middle of the Choir, and being followed by the Dean, in like Manner proceeded towards the Stall of the Great Master, who, making his Obeisances in the Middle of the Choir, proceeded to install the Knights in the following Manner :

The Great Master entered into the Stall of the Knight Companion next to his own, and having there given the Proxy of the Duke of Richmond the Transcript of the Statutes attested under the Seal of the Order, the Dean administered unto him the Oath, in the Name of his Principal, Bath holding the Book of the Gospels; and the Great Master then seated the Proxy down in the Stall, who rising, made his double Reverences, and continued standing, holding the Mantle.

The Great Master, with the like Attendance, having made his Obeisances in the Middle of the Choir, then repaired to the Stall of the Duke of Manchester, delivered to him the Copy of the Statutes, and the Dean having administered the Oath, which was of the Tenour following :
 ‘ You shall honour God above all Things; you shall be steadfast in the Faith of Christ; you shall love the King your Sovereign Lord, and him and his Right defend to your Power; you shall defend Maidens, Widows, and Orphans, in their Rights, and shall suffer no Extortion, as far as you may prevent it; and of as great Honour be this Order unto you, as ever it was to any of your Progenitors or others.’ Bath then delivered the Collar of the Order to the Great Master, who put it about the Neck of the Duke of Manchester, and placing the white Hat on his Head, seated him down in his Stall; who rising, made his double Reverences, and the Great Master having embraced and congratulated him, he then sat down in his Stall, covered with his white Hat, adorned with Plumes of white Feathers.

The Great Master thus proceeded throughout the Residue of the Stalls, performing the like Ceremonies to the Knights and Proxies respectively.

Which

Which being finished, and the Great Master returned to his own Stall, the Dean was conducted to the Altar; and Bath and the Gentleman-Usher being returned to their Benches, which Ceremonies were performed with the due Obeisances. Divine Service then began; during which Time, the Knights did place their Hats upon the Cushions laid before them.

Upon the first Sentence of the Offertory, Let your Light so shine, &c. the Musick playing, Bath stepped from his Bench, made his double Reverences in the Middle of the Choir, and coming before the Stall of the junior Knight, bowed to him, and immediately turned himself to the opposite Side, bowing to the Knight in that Stall, who arose, and making their double Obeisances both at one Time in their Stalls, descended into the Middle of the Choir, where they repeated the same, and retired under their Banners. Bath then in like Manner summoned the Knights in the next Stalls, and so throughout the whole Course of Stalls, summoning them by Pairs, and the Proxy of the Duke of Richmond single, and then the Great Master, and after him Prince William alone, who, all of them, with the like Ceremonies, placed themselves under their Banners.

Bath returned to his Bench, and the Provincial Kings of Arms making their Reverences, waited upon Prince William, who, upon his going from under his Banner, made his double Obeisances, and being thus preceded, made his double Reverences near the Rails of the Altar, and at the Rails to the Altar only, where kneeling down, his Highness made his Offering into the Bason held by the Dean, assisted by the Prebendaries. And he repeated the same Reverences in his Return, and entered into his Stall, where he again made his double Obeisances, and sat down.

Bath King of Arms then arose, and being joined by the eldest Herald, in like Manner repaired to the Great Master, who carrying his white Hat in his Hand, made his Offering, and returned and sat down in his Stall, with the same Ceremonies.

And

And then the Proxy of the Duke of Richmond in the same Method, and stood in the Stall, holding the Mantle.

And afterwards all the Knights and Proxies in like Manner, wherein this Rule was observed, That the Knights and Proxies in the opposite Stalls offered by Pairs together; and the Heralds, according to their Seniorities, repeated their Turns in going with Bath King of Arms before the Knights and Proxies.

Divine Service being ended, the Knights Companions put on their white Hats, and while the Musick played, Bath King of Arms summoned all the Knights and Proxies to come down from their several Stalls in the former Method, who all stood under their Banners.

Which being done, Prince William was conducted to the Rails of the Altar, with the like Ceremonies, as in the former Offering, where the Prince unsheathed his Sword, and offered it to the Dean, and having redeemed it, the Dean returned it with the following Admonition: ' I exhort
' and admonish you to use your Sword to the Glory of
' God, the Defence of the Gospel, the Maintenance of your
' Sovereign's Right and Honour, and of all Equity and
' Justice, to the utmost of your Power.' And soon afterwards the Prince retired out of the Chapel, leaving Sir Andrew Fountaine to be his Proxy in the Procession for the Return to the Chapter-Room. Then the Great Master covered, after him the Proxy of the Duke of Richmond uncovered, each singly, and all other the Knights covered, and Proxies uncovered, by Pairs, being respectively attended as at the first Offering, were conducted to the Rails of the Altar, with the usual Obeisances, where each Knight and Proxy standing, unsheathed his Sword, and offered it to the Dean, who, upon the Redemption of it, restored the same with the proper Admonitions, according to the Oaths they had taken that Day; and these Knights and Proxies being all severally reconducted to the Places under their respective Banners, the Alms-Men began the Procession, and were followed by others, having first performed their double Obeisances in the Chapel. And this Procession was made in the
same

same Form back to the Chapter-Room, as in the first Profession to the Chapel, except in the following Particulars: That, at the Outside of the West Door of the Abbey, the Sovereign's Master, having a Linen Apron, and a Chopping-Knife in his Hand, severally said to each Companion, 'Sir, you know what great Oath you have taken, which if you keep, it will be great Honour to you: But, if you break it, I shall be compelled, by my Office, to hack off your Spurs from your Heels.' And then the Prebendaries had leave to retire to the Jerusalem-Chamber, from the West End of the Abbey-Church; the Esquires, Officers of Arms, and of the Order, after they came out of the Church, were allowed to be covered; and at the Door of the Chapter-Room, Bath King of Arms took the Mantles from the Proxies,

Dinner being ready, the Great Master, being preceded by the Officers of the Order and Garter King of Arms, came into the Court of Requests, proceeded down to the lower End thereof, and entered into the Way, at the further Side of the Table, and came to the upper End of it, being followed by all the Knights in Course, according to the Height of their Stalls; and when Grace had been said, they all sat down in that Order, in the same Row, on one Side of the Table, each of them having an Escutcheon of his Arms and Titles fixed to the Wall over his Seat: The Dean was placed next to the junior Knight; and the Proxies of the Duke of Richmond, and of the Lord Glenorchy, sat uncovered at the Bottom of the Table.

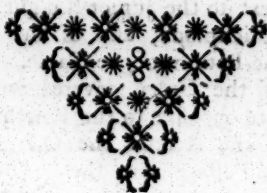
The Officers of the Order, covered with their Bonnets, sat at a Table placed opposite to the Knights at the lower End of the Room; the Officers of Arms, towards a Table in the Passage from the House of Commons; and the Prebendaries in the Jerusalem-Chamber.

The Esquires, having for some Time attended behind their respective Knights, had Leave given them to retire to their Dinner in the Pair Chamber, who went thither in their Order, where they dined.

At the second Course, Bath King of Arms arose, and, the Musick ceasing, made his Reverence in the Middle of the Room, and there, according to the Command given him, proclaimed the Stile of Prince William, the First and Principal Companion of this Most Honourable Order, who is always to be placed next to the Sovereign ; and then coming up near to the Great Master, who stood up uncovered, while Bath proclaimed his Stile, and the Great Master then sitting down, the Stile of each Companion present, in the like Manner, was respectively proclaimed, at which some Heralds and Pursuivants attended.

The whole Ceremony was performed with great Regularity, Magnificence, and Splendor.

The Duke of Montagu was the first Great Master of this Order.



*A List of the Knights present Companions of the
Most Honourable Order of the BATH.*

The Sovereign.	Duke of Cumberland.
Earl of Cholmondely.	Earl of Broadalbin.
Lord De La Warr.	Sir William Stanhope.
Sir Robert Clifton, Bart.	Earl of Inchiquin
Duke of Chandos.	Sir Thomas Robinson.
Sir John Cope.	Viscount Ligonier.
Viscount Fitz-William.	Sir W. M. Harbord, Bart.
Sir Thomas Whitmore.	Sir Henry Calthorpe.
Sir Edward Hawke.	Sir Charles Howard.
Sir John Mordaunt.	Lord Pollington.
Lord Onslow.	Sir Edward Walpole.
Duke of Bolton.	Sir Richard Lyttelton.
Sir Edward Montague.	Sir William Rowley.
Lord Blakeney.	Void.
Void.	Void.
Void.	Void.
Void.	Void.
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Principal Officers.

The Right Reverend Dr. Zachary Pearce, Lord Bishop of
 Rochester, Dean of Westminster, and Dean of this Order.

John Suffield-Brown, Esq; Blanc Courfier Herald, and Ge-
 nealogist of the Order.

Samuel Horsey, Esq; Bath King at Arms.

Charles Frewen, Esq; Gentleman-Usher of the Order, and
 Brunswick-Herald.

William Whitehead, Esq; Register of the Order.

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ADDITIONS TO VOL. I.

Of the DUKE of YORK.

THE Most High, Puissant, and Most Illustrious Prince Edward-Augustus, (Grandson to his Majesty, and second Son to his late Royal Highness Frederick Prince of Wales) was, April 1, 1760, advanced to the Dignities of Duke of the Kingdom of Great Britain, and Earl of the Kingdom of Ireland, by the Names, Stiles, and Titles of Duke of York and of Albany, in the said Kingdom of Great Britain, and of Earl of Ulster, in the said Kingdom of Ireland; to remain to him and the Heirs Male of his Royal Highness: and, on the 19th of May following, his Royal Highness took his Seat in the House of Peers.

His Royal Highness was born March 14, 1738-9: elected a Knight of the Garter, March 13, 1752; and installed the 4th of June following.

For his Royal Highness's Arms, see those of the Prince of Wales.

In Cavendish, Duke of Devonshire, p. 140, line 2, after Derby, add, and in July 1760 he was nominated one of the Governors of St. Bartholomew's Hospital in London.

In Hamilton, Duke of Brandon, p. 169, add, the Dutchess Dowager of Hamilton was delivered of a Daughter March 31, 1760.

ADDITIONS to VOL. II.

*I*N Talbot, *Earl of Shrewsbury*, p. 13, line 11, *after* Scotland, *add*, and died at Paris in November 1759.

In Clinton, *Earl of Lincoln*, p. 45, line 4, *after* Newcastle, *add*, by which Lady, who died July 27, 1760,

In Compton, *Earl of Northampton*, p. 76, line 9, *after* Beaufort, *add*, by whom he had a Son and Heir born June 26, 1760.

In Fielding, *Earl of Denbigh*, p. 81, line 23, *after* Bart. *add*, by whom he had a Son and Heir born June 15, 1760; and his Lordship, in Feb. 1760, was sworn of his Majesty's Privy Council.

In Bertie, *Earl of Abingdon*, p. 174, line 3, *dele* High Steward of Abingdon and Wallingford.

In p. 177, line 21, *dele* his Lordship is High Steward of Abingdon and Wallingford, *and add*, his Lordship, dying June 10, 1760, was succeeded by his eldest Son [4th Earl.] WILLOUGHBY, now Earl of Abingdon.

In Lumley-Saunderson, *Earl of Scarborough*, p. 213, line 24, *after* 1757, *add*, and another Son born June 22, 1760.

In Keppel, *Earl of Abemarle*, p. 222, line 23, *after* Men, *add*, in February 1760 he was appointed Colonel of Marines.

In Hobart, *Earl of Buckinghamshire*, p. 401, line 33, *after* 1758, *add*, and another Son born May 5, 1760.

In Grenville-Temple, *Earl Temple*, p. 434, line 5, *after* but, *add*, by which Lady, who died March 29, 1760.

ADDITIONS

ADDITIONS TO VOL. III.

IN Townshend, *Visc.* Townshend, *p.* 23, *line* 9, *after* 1754, *add*, and a Daughter, Caroline, who died March 12, 1760.

P. 22, *line* 13, *after* unmarried, *add*, He died Aug. 7, 1760.

In Thynne, *Viscount* Weymouth, *p.* 29, *line* 5, *after* Duke of Portland, *add*, by whom he has a Daughter born March 26, 1760.

To follow next after Murray Lord Strange, *and between that and* Percy Baroneſs Percy, *p.* 103.

SMITH, Baroneſs DUDLEY.

THE Right Honourable Anne Smith, Baroneſs Dudley. Summoned to Parliament as Baron Dudley, Feb. 15, 1440, the 18th of Henry 6; antiently, Feb. 25th, 1341, the 16th of Edward 3; and originally March 10, 1307, the 1st of Edward 2.

In the Account of the Family of Lord Ward, in this Volume, it appears, that Humble Lord Ward was married to Frances, Grand-daughter and ſole Heir of Edward Sutton, Lord Dudley, who was in her own Right Baroneſs Dudley; from whom deſcended EDWARD, the firſt Lord Dudley and Ward; who was ſucceeded by EDWARD, his Grandſon, the ſecond Lord Dudley and Ward; to whom ſucceeded EDWARD, his Son, the third Lord Dudley and Ward; and to him ſucceeded WILLIAM, his Uncle, who was the fourth Lord Dudley and Ward, who dying unmarried, at his Seat at Himley in Staffordſhire, in May 1740, the Title of Lord Dudley devolved on the Iſſue of Frances, who was the Heir General; and that of Lord Ward to John Ward of Sedgely-Park in the C. of Stafford, Eſq; now Lord Ward, who was the Heir Male.

Which FRANCES was married to William Lea of Hales-Owen Grange in the C. of Salop, Grandſon of John Lea of

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Hales-Owen (a Descendant of the Leas of Lea-Green, in the Parish of Kingsnorton, in the C. of Worcester) who took to Wife ———, the Daughter of ——— Ive of Kingsnorton aforesaid, and had Issue by her two Sons, William and John.

William, the eldest, was Sheriff of Worcestershire in the Reign of K. William, and died a Batchelor, June the 24th, 1702, and was buried at Hales-Owen.

John, his Brother, became his Heir, and took to Wife Mary, the Daughter of William Deely of Warley-Wigorn in Hales-Owen: Which Mary died in 1720, having Issue one Son, viz. William, above-mentioned, who married Frances, Sister of William Ward, late Lord Dudley and Ward, and by her (who died at the Grange, Jan. 24th, 1737, and was interred at Himley) had Issue two Sons and five Daughters:

FERDINANDO-DUDLEY LEA, late Lord Dudley, as Heir to his Mother; and William, his Brother, deceased unmarried; Anne, married to William Smith of Ridgeacre in Shropshire, Esq; and has Issue two Sons and three Daughters; Frances, married to Mr. Walter Woodcock, and has two Sons and two Daughters; Mary, deceased; Catherine, married to Mr. Thomas Gordon, and has Issue living one Daughter; and Elizabeth, who married July 14, 1759, to the Reverend Mr. Briscoe. His Lordship dying unmarried in 175

ANNE, his eldest Sister, succeeded as Baroness Dudley.

A R M S.

Argent, on a Pale, between two Leopard's Faces Sable, three Crescents, Or.

C R E S T.

An Unicorn Argent, guttè de poix, gorged with a double Treasure, fleury and counter-fleury Gules.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On either Side a Lion double queue Vert, armed, and langued Gules, gorged with a Ducal Coronet, thereto a Cordon affixed, passing between the Fore-legs, and reflexed over the Back, Or.

MOTTO.

In seipso totus teres.

Chief SEATS.

At the Grange in Hales-Owen in Shropshire, 5 Miles from Birmingham, and 95 from London; and at Ridgeacre in Shropshire.

In Verney, Lord Willoughby of Broke, p. 133, line 13, after Oxford, read, by which Lady, who died June 10, 1760. And after line 30, add, who in July 1760 was elected one of the Governors of St. Bartholomew's Hospital in London.

In Petre, Lord Petre, p. 156, third line from the bottom, after Earl of Derwentwater, add, by which Lady, who died March 31, 1760.

In Arundel, Lord Arundel of Wardour, p. 160, line 14, after 1742, add, who married May 19, 1760, Miss Mary Porter.

In Roper, Lord Teynham, p. 169, bottom line, after Chetwin, Esq; add, which Lady died Nov. 5, 1758.

In Byron, Lord Byron, p. 179, second line from the bottom, after 1751, add, who died June 1, 1760.

In Trevor, Lord Trevor, p. 211, line 3, instead of 1733, read 1753.

In Sandys, Lord Sandys, p. 258, line 17, after 1755, add, who married June 17, 1760, Miss Trumbull, with an immense Fortune.

In Anson, Lord Anson, p. 265, line 8, after Great Britain, read, by which Lady, who died June 1, 1760,

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In Walpole, Lord Walpole, p. 277, line 22, after Thomas, add, a Banker in London, who married Nov. 14, 1758, Miss Margaret Vanneck, Daughter of Sir Joshua Vanneck, Bart. which Lady died June 9, 1760.

In Henley, Lord Henley, p. 282, add

A R M S.

Quarterly, first and fourth Azure, a Lion rampant Argent, crowned with a Ducal Coronet, Or, within a Bordure, Argent, charged with eight Torteauxes; second and third, three Battering Rams.

C R E S T.

A Demi-Lion ducally crowned.

S U P P O R T E R S.

Dexter Side, a Lion rampant, ducally crowned and semeed with Torteauxes; on the sinister, a Stag semeed with Torteauxes.

M O T T O.

Sola et unica Virtus.

To follow page 282.

P E T T Y, Lord W Y C O M B E.

LXII. **T**HE Right Honourable John Petty, Earl of Shelburne, Viscount Fitzmaurice, and Baron of Dunkeron in the County of Waterford, in the Kingdom of Ireland; and Baron Wycombe of Chepping-Wycombe in the County of Buckingham, in the Kingdom of Great Britain.

Created Baron of Dunkeron, and Viscount Fitzmaurice, Oct. 7, 1751; Earl of Shelburne, June 26, 1753; and Baron of Chepping-Wycombe, May 20, 1760.

We have given an Account of the Family of this Noble Lord in the *IRISH COMPENDIUM*, under the Title of Earl of Shelburne, where the Reader will find, that, by the Father's Side, the Lord Shelburne is a Branch of the House of Fitzgerald; being the second Son of Thomas Earl of Kerry. By his Mother's Side he is descended from Anthony Petty of Rumsey in the County of Southampton, Clothier; whose Son, William, having studied at Caen in Normandy, upon his

Return

Return to England settled at Oxford, where he was chosen Professor of Anatomy in that University, and afterwards one of the College of Physicians in London. In 1652 he had a Patent from the Rump Parliament to be one of the Surveyors of Ireland, where he was Clerk of the Council, and Secretary to the pretended Lord-Lieutenant; and in 1654 began to survey the Country; which he finished with such Exactness, in ten Months, that there was no Estate that was not exactly marked in its true Value; Maps being likewise made of the whole Performance. At the Restoration of Charles 2, he was knighted; and when the Royal Society was instituted, was chosen a Fellow, and made one of the Council of it. He was a famous Virtuoso, and a most singular Promoter of Experimental Philosophy and Mechanic Instruments, of which he was an admirable Inventor; and his Treatise of *Political Arithmetic* proved an Honour to himself, and useful to Posterity. He married Elizabeth, Daughter to Sir Hardress Waller, Knt. and, dying in 1687, left two Sons, Charles and Henry; and a Daughter Anne, married to Thomas Fitzmaurice, Earl of Kerry, by whom she had William, late Earl of Kerry, and John, now Earl of Shelburne. On Dec. 31, 1688, the said

ELIZABETH, being created Baronesse Shelburne, was succeeded in the said Barony by

CHARLES, her eldest Son; but he dying without Issue, it became extinct.

HENRY, his Brother, in the 11th of William 3, was honoured with the Barony of Shelburne, by a new Creation; and was Privy Counsellor both to Queen Anne and King George 1; and chosen Member in the British Parliaments in 1714 and 1722. He married the Lady Arabella Boyle, Daughter to Charles Lord Clifford; and by her, who died in Nov. 1740, had five Children: Of which James Viscount Dunkeron, his only Son, married Elizabeth, Sister of Sir James Clavering of Axwell in the Bishoprick of Durham, by whom he had a Son, James, who died in April 1742; and his Mother in August following. Lord Dunkeron died Sept. 17, 1750; and his Father, the Earl of Shelburne, April 17, 1751; and the Title

became extinct, till his Majesty was pleased to revive it, by a new Creation in the Person of his Nephew,

JOHN, the present Earl; who, being made Heir to his Uncle's large Estates, took the Surname and Arms of Petty.

His Lordship was Member in the present British Parliament for Wycombe in the County of Buckingham, till he was created a Peer of Great Britain; and married Mary, Daughter of his Uncle, Colonel William Fitzmaurice, by whom he has Issue William Viscount Fitzmaurice, and Thomas.

A R M S.

Ermine, on a Bend Sapphire, a magnetic Needle pointing at a Pole-Star, Topaz; together with the Arms of the Earl of Kerry quartered, with a Crescent for Difference.

C R E S T.

On a Wreath, a Bee-hive beset with Bees, diversely volant, proper.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Pegasus Ermine, bridled, crined, winged, unguled, Topaz, charged on the Shoulder with a Fleur de Lis, Sapphire; on the sinister Side, a Gryphon, Topaz.

M O T T O.

Ut Apes Geometriam.

Chief S E A T.

At Chepping-Wycombe in the County of Bucks.

L E G G E, Baroneſs S T A W E L L.

LXIII. **T**HE Right Honourable Mary Legge, Baroneſs Stawell of Somerton in the County of Somerset.

Created Baroneſs Stawell as above, with Limitation to her Heirs Male by her present Husband the Right Honourable Henry Bilſon Legge, Eſq; May 20, 1760.

This Noble Lady is deſcended from ADAM DE STAWELL, who lived about the Time of the Conqueſt, and took his Name from Stawell in the Pariſh of Merlinch, in the County of Somerſet, which was the Seat of this Family till the late

John

John Lord Stawell sold it. His Son HENRY was Father to GEOFFRY, who left a Son, MATTHEW, the Father of Sir GEOFFRY of Cothelstone and Ham in the C. of Somerset, who married Joan, Daughter and Heir to John de Columbaris, and by her had another Sir GEOFFRY; and he marrying Julian, Sister and Heir to William de Gastelin, and dying in 1253, to him succeeded Sir MATTHEW his Son, who married Eleanor, Daughter and Coheir to Sir Richard Merton of Merton in the C. of Devon, and by her had Sir THOMAS, his Son and Heir, whose Wife was Joan, Daughter to Walter Frampton of the C. of Dorset, Esq; by whom he had a Son, WALTER; who, dying before him, left Issue by Joan, Daughter and Heir to John Farway, Esq; ROBERT, who in 1438 succeeded his Grandfather, and had his Arms supported by two Goats, or Antelopes, as was visible in his Seal to a Deed the 15th of Hen. 6; and he marrying Elizabeth, Daughter to William Wadham of Merrifield in the C. of Somerset, Esq; by her had EDWARD, his Heir. He married Agnes, Daughter to John Cheyney of Pinhoe in the C. of Devonshire, and had a Son, ROBERT, whose Wife was Anne, Daughter and Coheir to John St. Maud, Lord of Northmoulton in Devonshire; and by that Match the Stawells enriched their Blood, by a Descent from several noble Ancestors, viz. Alan Lord Zouch of Ashby in the C. of Leicester, Richard Lord Lovel of Castle-Cary in the C. of Somerset, William Lord Zouch of Harringworth, Thomas Brook, Lord Cobham and Erleigh in the C. of Somerset; and by the said Anne, his Wife, he had JOHN, his only Son, who married Dorothy, Daughter to Sir Edmund Carew; and by that Marriage the Stawells are descended from the Princes of South-Wales, from the Sister of Richard Strangbow, Earl of Pembroke, and Conqueror of Ireland; from the Peverels, the Talbots, the Fitz-Alans, Earls of Arundel; the Bonvils, the Courtneys, the Ercedeacons, the Carminoes, the Barons Dinham, the Huddlefields, &c. He was succeeded by RICHARD, his Son, whose Wife was Alice, Daughter to William Powlett, Marq. of Winchester, and by her he had Sir JOHN, his Son and Heir, who, taking to Wife the Daughter of Sir Thomas Dyer, by her was Father of

of another JOHN, who, at the Coronation of King Cha. 1, was made Kt of the Bath. He married Elizabeth, Daughter to George Touchet, Lord Audley, whereby his Issue derived themselves from the old Barons Tracy and Martin, Lords of Kerneis in Pembrokeshire, and of Barnstaple and Derington in Devonshire; as also from the Mortimers Earls of March, and many other Noble Families; and by her he had JOHN, his Heir, who was one of the Kts for the C. of Somerset in 1640, and adhering to King Cha. 1, in the Time of his Troubles, was a very great Sufferer. On the first Eruption of the Civil War, he engaged with the Marq. of Hertford in raising Forces in the West, and at his own Charge raised and maintained three Regiments, one of Horse, another of Dragoons, and a third of Foot; and from the Beginning of the War, having engaged both his own Person and his two Sons in the most active Part of it, he rendered himself odious to the Parliament; so that on the declining of the King's Cause, he was not admitted to compound, as others were; for the prevailing Powers not only thirsted after his great Estate, but also conspired to take away his Life. He endured, in those Times of Affliction, long and tedious Imprisonments, in the Press-yard in Newgate, and other Goals, and afterwards in the Tower of London; and with admirable Wisdom and Courage approved himself an eminent Assertor of the Laws and Liberties of the Kingdom, by making such Defence in their several bloody Tribunals, as to silence those bold Judges, who sat there with a Design to put him to Death: And though he was reduced to the greatest Want and Misery, which his severe Opposers, by Sale of his Lands, and cutting down his Woods, and demolishing the principal Seat of his Family at Cothelstone, could bring upon him; yet by the Subsistence which his aged Mother (then married to Sir Thomas Griffin) afforded him, which was all he had, he most chearfully underwent the same; and after the Restoration was made Kt of the Bath, and again elected a Kt for the C. of Somerset; and died on the 21st of Feb. 1661-2, in the sixty-second Year of his Age. He married Catherine, Daughter and Heir to Sir Edward Hext of Ham aforesaid, and by her had two Sons, Ralph,

Ralph, his Heir, and John, who was Colonel of a Regiment in the Civil War; and he leaving two Daughters, his Co-heirs, one was married to Edward Earl of Conway, and the other to Sir Robert Austen of Bexley in Kent, Bart.

[1st Ld.] RALPH, who succeeded, was Member of Parliament for Bridgwater in 1678; and in Consideration of the eminent Loyalty and Sufferings of his Father, during the Time of his Troubles, and the many good and acceptable Services performed by himself, was on the 15th of Jan. 1682-3, created Lord Stawell of Somerton. He married first Anne, Daughter to John Ryves of the C. of Dorset, Esq; and by her had an only Son, John; but by his second Wife, who was Abigail, Daughter and Heir to William Pitt of Hatley-Wespal in the C. of Southampton, Esq; he had two Sons, and four Daughters, Elizabeth, Catherine, Lucy, and Diana; of whom, the eldest was married to William Bromley of Bagington in the C. of Warwick, Esq; who, in the Reign of Q. Anne, was Secretary of State, and Speaker of the House of Commons; and the second was married to William Higden, D. D. Prebendary of Canterbury, and Rector of St. Paul Shadwell in London.

[2d Ld.] JOHN, who was by the first Wife, and succeeded his Father in his Honour, the 5th of Aug. 1689, married Margaret, Daughter to James Cecil, Earl of Salisbury, and by her (who was afterwards married to Richard Jones, Earl of Ranelagh in Ireland) had a Daughter, Anne, who was first married to James Darcy, Grandson to Conyers Earl of Holderness, and next to John Baber, Esq; and died the 3d of Aug. 1727: And the said John Lord Stawell, dying on the 30th of Nov. 1692, in the twenty-fourth Year of his Age, without Issue Male,

[3d Ld.] WILLIAM, his Half-Brother, succeeded to the Title of Lord Stawell. In the Reign of Q. Anne, he was one of the Gentlemen of the Bedchamber to George Prince of Denmark; and marrying Elizabeth, Daughter and Heir to William Pert, Esq; and Elizabeth his Wife, Daughter to William Forster, Esq; and Heir to her Brother Sir William Forster of Aldermarston in the C. of Berks, Bart. by her, who

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who died in Aug. 1748, had Issue one Son, William, who died in France in Feb. 1739-40, and a Daughter, Charlotte, married first to one Carlo (an Irish Priest); secondly, to Mr. Hassel, Major of General Wade's Regiment of Horse; and thirdly, to Ralph Congreve, Esq; one of the Yeomen of the Guards. His Lordship, dying in Jan. 1741-2, was succeeded by his Brother,

[4th Ld.] EDWARD, late Lord Stawell. He married, in May 1719, Mary, one of the two Daughters and Coheirs of Sir Hugh Stewkley of Hinton-Amner, Hants, Bart. and by her, who died in July 1740, had a Son, Stewkley, who died at Westminster-School, and a Daughter,

MARY, the present Baroness, who married Sept. 3, 1750, to the Right Honourable Henry Bilson Legge, Chancellor and Under-Treasurer of the Exchequer, and Uncle to the Earl of Dartmouth, (see Earl of Dartmouth) by whom she has Issue. The Lord Stawell, her Father, dying April 13, 1755, the Title became extinct, till it was revived by the Creation of the present Baroness.

A R M S.

Ruby, a Cross of Lozenges, Pearl.

C R E S T.

On a Chapeau Ruby, turned up Ermine, an Eagle displayed, Argent, from its Mouth a Scroll, inscribed with this Motto, *En parole je vis.*

S U P P O R T E R S.

Two Beasts, (by most termed Man-Tigers) bodyed, &c. in Form of Lions, Pearl, with human Visages, proper, armed with a sort of Horn, like those of a Satyr or Goat, and maned and tufted Or.

M O T T O.

En parole je vis.

Chief S E A T.

At Aldermaston in the County of Berks.

WATSON,

WATSON, Lord SONDES.

LXIV. **T**HE Right Honourable Lewis Watson, Lord
Sondes of Lees-Court in the County of Kent.

So created May 20, 1760.

His Lordship is second Son to the late Lord Monson, and
Brother to the present Lord. For an Account of his Lordship's
Family, Marriage, and Issue, we refer the Reader to the Ac-
count given of the Family of Lord Monson.

A R M S.

Quarterly, first and fourth Argent, on a Chevron engrailed,
Azure, between three Martlets Sable, as many Crescents Or;
second and third Or, two Chevrons Gules.

C R E S T.

A Griffin's Head erased Argent, with a Ducal Coronet Or.

S U P P O R T E R S.

On the dexter Side, a Griffin Argent, gorged with a Ducal
Coronet, Or; on the sinister, a Bear Argent, collared Or.

M O T T O.

Esto quod esse videris.

Chief S E A T S.

At Lees-Court near Feverham in the County of Kent, and
at Rockingham-Castle, Northamptonshire.

*Among the BARONETS, p. 371, line 3, for Bedingfield
Henry-Arundel read Bedingfield Richard.*

*Page 386, for Wilson Edward read Wilson Thomas-
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